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RE: ENERGY COMMISSION REVIEW OF ANAHEIM PUBLIC UTILITIES
INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN

Dear Mr. Lee:

As required by Senate Bill 350 (De León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015) (SB 350) the Energy Commission has completed its review of the Anaheim Public Utilities (Anaheim) 2018 *Integrated Resource Plan* (IRP) Filing, which was received on June 26, 2018. The Energy Commission informed Anaheim on August 6, 2018, that the IRP Filing was complete, as described in Chapter 3, Section B.1 of the *Publicly Owned Utilities' Integrated Resource Plan Guidelines* (POU IRP Guidelines).¹ The Executive Director must make a determination, consistent with Chapter 3, Section B.4 of the *POU IRP Guidelines*, finding that the IRP Filing is consistent or inconsistent with the SB 350 IRP requirements in the PUC Section 9621.

Based on a detailed review and analysis of Anaheim's IRP, the standardized tables, and other supporting information, the Energy Commission has determined that Anaheim's 2018 IRP is consistent with PUC Section 9621 requirements ensuring that it meets California's energy and other policy goals, including but not limited to:

- Achieving greenhouse gas emission reduction targets commensurate with the electricity sector's percentage of economy wide reductions of 40 percent from 1990 levels by 2030.
- Meeting the Renewables Portfolio Standard of 50 percent by 2030.
- Ensuring planning goals related to retail rates, reliability, transmission and distribution systems, localized air pollution, and disadvantaged communities.
- Considering the role of renewable resources, grid efficiencies, energy storage, and distributed resources in meeting peak demand.
- Addressing procurement of energy efficiency and demand response, energy storage, transportation electrification, and portfolio diversification.

¹ See: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/IRPs/index.html>.

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The attached staff paper, *Review of Anaheim Public Utilities 2018 Integrated Resource Plan*, provides the details of the Energy Commission's review and findings regarding the consistency of Anaheim's IRP with PUC Section 9621. The Energy Commission anticipates considering adoption of the Executive Director's determination at an Energy Commission business meeting in February 2019.

If you have any questions regarding the Executive Director's determination with respect to your 2018 IRP, please contact Paul Deaver at paul.deaver@energy.ca.gov or 916-651-0313.

Sincerely,



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