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Dear Mr. Young:

As required by Senate Bill 350 (SB 350) (de León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015) the California Energy Commission (CEC) has reviewed Glendale Water and Power's *Integrated Resource Plan filing* (IRP) and standardized reporting tables, which was received on July 29, 2019. The CEC informed Glendale Water and Power on August 27, 2019, that the IRP filing was complete, as required by Chapter 3, Section B.1 of the *Publicly Owned Utilities' Integrated Resource Plan Guidelines*.¹

Based on a detailed review and analysis of the Glendale Water and Power IRP, the standardized tables, and other supporting information, I have determined that the Glendale Water and Power IRP is consistent with PUC Section 9621 requirements, and meets California's energy, climate and other policy goals, including:

- 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, based on SB 350.
- 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.

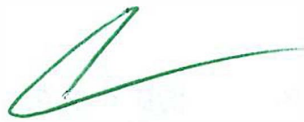
¹ See: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/IRPs/index.html>.

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The docketed staff paper, *Review of the Glendale Water and Power Integrated Resource Plan*, provides the details of the CEC's review and findings regarding the consistency of the Glendale Water and Power IRP with PUC Section 9621. The CEC anticipates considering adoption of this determination at a CEC business meeting in March 2020.

If you have any questions regarding this determination, please contact Liz Gill at liz.gill@energy.ca.gov or 916-654-3948.

Sincerely,



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