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ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)	
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Application for Certification for the)	Docket No. 12-AFC-03
<u>Redondo Beach Energy Project</u>)	

**REDONDO BEACH ENERGY PROJECT
STATUS REPORT # 6**

Pursuant to the Committee Scheduling Order issued on October 16, 2013, AES Southland Development, LLC (the “Applicant”) hereby files this monthly status report to inform the Committee on the progress of the Redondo Beach Energy Project (“Project”) Application for Certification (“AFC”) proceeding. This report describes activities that have occurred since Applicant’s Status Report # 5 was filed.

I. STATUS OF THE PROCEEDING

The AFC was filed on November 20, 2012. Due to a lengthy delay in the issuance of a finding of completeness by the South Coast Air Quality Management District (“SCAQMD”), the AFC was not deemed data adequate by the Commission until August 27, 2013. It has now been eight months since the RBEP AFC was deemed data adequate.

The Staff’s Status Report #6, filed April 30, 2014, states that Staff is waiting on responses to Noise Data Requests 26R and 28R. While the Applicant believes that the monitoring reported in the AFC is sufficient to evaluate the Project, the Applicant has voluntarily agreed to perform the additional monitoring. This monitoring has been completed and the results will be submitted to the Staff on or before May 15, 2014.

The Staff’s Status Report #6 also states it will file the PSA 30 days after the issuance of the PDOC by SCAQMD. To comply with the Commission’s statutory duty to complete the AFC proceeding within 12 months of when the AFC was data adequate, the Committee’s Scheduling Order set a target date of January 2014 for issuance of the PDOC and for the PSA to be issued 45 days after the PDOC is issued. It is now the end of April, and the PDOC has not been issued. It is the Applicant’s understanding that the

SCAQMD staff has prepared the PDOC and that the document is under management review, but SCAQMD has not indicated when SCAQMD expects to issue the PDOC.

Because the PSA is substantially complete, the Applicant has asked Staff to issue the PSA with all currently completed sections, even though the PDOC has not yet been received. We will update the Committee when the Staff responds to our request.

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