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Subject: STATUS REPORT #15 FOR THE LAFAYETTE BACKUP GENERATING FACILITY SMALL POWER PLANT EXEMPTION (20-SPPE-02)

In its December 23, 2020, order directing parties to file Monthly Status Reports, the Committee ordered the parties to file and serve a Status Report on or before the 10th of each month.

Staff has commenced work on an Environmental Impact Report (EIR), which we expect to publish within 60 days of acknowledging in a status report that we have no further data requests.

The most recent filing of data request responses by the applicant occurred on November 1, 2021. Staff has subsequently docketed Data Requests Set 4 on February 9, 2022, and Data Requests Set 5 on February 24, 2022. Upon receipt of applicant's responses to these new data requests and any unanswered data requests from prior rounds, staff will assess whether all its data requests have been adequately addressed. Depending on the outcome of that assessment, staff will either prepare additional follow-up data requests or alert the Committee of our intention to publish our Draft EIR within 60 days.