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## Via Email

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Repeated Application for Confidential Designation of Shell Energy North America (US), L.P. Electricity Resource Plan Docket No. 24-IEPR-02

Dear Marcie A. Milner:

The California Energy Commission (CEC) has received Shell Energy North America (US), L.P. (applicant) repeated application for confidential designation, docketed November 15, 2024 (TN 260099), for the following records:

SENA IEPR Supply Forms

The applicant seeks confidentiality of certain portions of the information submitted in the data sets, specifically:

- Form S-1:
  - o Columns G-H, Lines 1-11, 12-18, and 19-25.
  - Columns I-R, Lines 1-11, and 12-18.
- Form S-2:
  - Columns Q-Z.
  - Columns AD-AM, Lines 6c-7G.
- Form S-2A:
  - o Columns Q-Z.
  - Columns AD-AM, Lines 6c-7G.
  - Columns A-DV (capacity), lines 11-127.
- Form S-5: Columns B-N, Lines 11-79.

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The applicant states that these records were previously determined be CEC's executive director to be confidential for a period of three years (June 5, 2019 and December 2, 2022, TNs 228392 and 247901). The applicant asserts, under penalty of perjury, that the records submitted under this application contain information substantially similar to previously submitted information that was granted confidential designation, and all facts and circumstances relevant to the confidentiality of the information remain unchanged.

California Code of Regulations title 20, section 2505(a)(4) provides:

If an applicant is seeking a confidential designation for information that is substantially similar to information that was previously deemed confidential by the Commission pursuant to section 2508, or for which an application for confidential designation was granted by the Executive Director pursuant to subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section, the new application need contain only a certification, executed under penalty of perjury, stating that the information submitted is substantially similar to the previously submitted information and that all the facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged. An application meeting these criteria will be approved.

The applicant has met the requirements for confidential designation of the above information as a repeated application. Confidentiality is granted for a period of three years, under the same terms as those in the grant of confidentiality on June 5, 2019 (TN 228392).

Be advised that under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2506, one may petition to inspect or copy records that the CEC has designated as confidential. A decision on a petition to inspect or copy confidential records is issued by the CEC's chief counsel. Under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2507, the executive director may disclose records, or release records previously designated as confidential, in certain circumstances. The procedures for acting on a petition and criteria for disclosing or releasing records previously designated as confidential are set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 2506-2508.

If you have questions, please email <u>confidentialityapplication@energy.ca.gov</u>.