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**Re: Bottle Rock Geothermal Power Plant Amendment (Docket No. 79-AFC-04C; see also Complaint Proceeding Docket No. 12-CAI-04) Bottle Rock Power, LLC's Updated Status Report**

Dear Commissioners and Hearing Adviser Kramer:

Bottle Rock Power, LLC ("BRP") herein submits this Updated Status Report for the Bottle Rock Geothermal Power Plant Amendment. This Updated Status Report is intended to provide the Committee and Hearing Officer with new status information that resulted from the October 4, 2013 Staff Workshop on this matter.

On June 28, 2013, the Committee issued a Scheduling Order, Order Granting Petition to Intervene and Other Orders ("Scheduling Order") in this proceeding. Although various dates within the Scheduling Order have not been met, BRP submits that the remaining deadlines in the Scheduling Order can be achieved.

The Scheduling Order required CEC Staff ("Staff") to inform the parties if they intended to file a Supplemental Staff Assessment by September 27, 2013. In their October 2, 2013 Status Report No. 2, Staff stated they did not anticipate filing a Supplemental Staff Assessment. At the October 4, 2013 Staff Workshop on this matter, however, Staff indicated that they would conduct further analysis and that they may file a Supplemental Staff Assessment.



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The Scheduling Order contemplates that a Supplemental Staff Assessment (if necessary) would be filed by October 21, 2013. BRP believes this existing deadline gives Staff sufficient time to conduct its additional analysis and submit a Supplemental Staff Assessment, allowing this matter to stay on the schedule contemplated in the Scheduling Order.

We look forward to continuing to work with the parties to reach resolution of the Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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