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El Segundo Energy Center Petition to Amend (00-AFC-14C) Committee
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California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

Re: El Segundo Energy Center Petition to Amend (00-AFC-14C)
Status Report 4

Dear Committee Members:

On April 10, 2014, the California Energy Commission (“**CEC**”) El Segundo Energy Center Amendment Committee docketed its Committee Order for Status Reports for the Petition to Amend (the “**PTA**”) in the El Segundo Energy Center (00-AFC-14C) (the “**Project**”) proceeding, including schedule recommendations (the “**Committee Order**”) as CEC TN # 202001. In accordance with the Committee Order, this letter constitutes El Segundo Energy Center LLC’s (“**ESEC LLC**”) Status Report 4 for the Project and proposed schedule for the remainder of the proceeding.

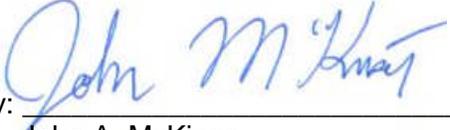
Since ESEC LLC filed its Status Report 3, ESEC LLC has provided CEC staff with Cultural Resources records search data and additional Waste Management data regarding the Project. On March 25, 2014, CEC staff issued its Preliminary Staff Assessment of the Project (the “**PSA**”), and on April 22, 2014, ESEC LLC representatives and CEC staff participated in a public workshop in El Segundo, California to discuss the PSA. On April 23, 2014, CEC staff requested supplemental data related to CEC Cultural Resources Data Request 78 in order to complete staff’s assessment of the Project. ESEC LLC is gathering this data and preparing its written responses to the PSA, which are due to the CEC on May 5, 2014.

ESEC LLC currently anticipates that South Coast Air Quality Management District will be able to issue its Final Determination of Compliance in May, which should allow CEC staff to issue its Final Staff Assessment (“**FSA**”) in early June, provided that ESEC LLC promptly submits the aforementioned Cultural Resources information to CEC staff. ESEC LLC is confident that it can resolve these remaining Cultural Resources questions without delaying publication of the FSA. ESEC LLC thus anticipates that the PTA will be ready for the Amendment Committee evidentiary phase this summer, and that it will receive the Presiding

Member's Proposed Decision by the end of August. In October or early November, ESEC LLC expects to have a business meeting regarding the Project, and anticipates that the CEC will approve the amended Project by the end of December.

Please contact me or my colleague Allison Harris if you have questions about the foregoing information or would like to discuss the proposed proceeding schedule.

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