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Power of Vision's January 2, 2015 Status Report

POV wishes everyone a most Happy New Year!

POV continues in its efforts to protect the I-5 corridor adjacent to the CECP from visual blight due to the new location proposed by the PTA for the transmission line from the generating units to the SDG&E switchyard. We will work with the Project Owner and Staff on this issue at the upcoming workshop, as suggested in the Commissioner's Decision dated December 18, 2014 (TN#2033468).

On December 27, 2014 we docketed (TN# 203481) a letter to George L. Pianka, P.E. requesting information on fire access roads for the PTA, similar to that provided for the approved CECP, and look forward to a timely response.

We strongly support Terramar's recent motion (TN# 203479) to delay the upcoming workshop until February, 2015. Staff was given privy to an advanced copy of the PDOC and failed to docket this information so that Intervenors and the public could see it and have a similar amount of time as Staff had to evaluate it. We are now trying to play catch-up on a very long technical report so that we may adequately respond to the PDOC before the upcoming deadline for comments.

Shortly after release of the PDOC, Staff released its PSA, another long document that we are laboring to review. Both of these documents were released before the year-end holidays, further reducing the time available for review. We believe that a postponement of the workshop for two weeks can be accommodated without affecting the June 2015 scheduled date for Commissioners' adoption of the PMPD. We note that the Project Owner, in Section 1.10 of their PTA, has indicated that they do not anticipate starting construction until October 2015. We therefore urge the Committee to approve Terramar's motion.