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Pursuant to the Committee's Order Extending Suspension of Proceedings issued on June 30, 2014 ("Order"), Valle Del Sol Energy, LLC ("Valle Del Sol") submits this quarterly status report. In the Order, the Committee suspended this proceeding until June 30, 2015 and directed Valle Del Sol to submit quarterly status reports beginning September 1, 2014 to inform the Committee of progress in developing the Sun Valley Project, a 500 megawatt natural gas-fired peaking plant to be located in the City of Menifee, California within the jurisdiction of the South Coast Air Quality Management District ("SCAQMD").

Earlier this year Valle Del Sol executed a Generator Interconnection Agreement for the Sun Valley Project, thereby preserving the Sun Valley Project's position in the interconnection queue. Permitting difficulties are ongoing due to the unavailability within the South Coast Air Basin of emission offsets from the market that are needed to satisfy applicable SCAQMD rules. Valle Del Sol and its ultimate parent, NRG Energy, Inc., continue to look for solutions to address the lack of available offsets, and for contracting opportunities that would support active development of the Sun Valley Project. Valle Del Sol will provide an update regarding any new developments in its next status report.

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Respectfully submitted,

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