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LATE-FILED STATUS REPORT OF THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ALLIANCE AND FFIERCE

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Fighting for Informed Environmentally Responsible Clean Energy (FFIERCE)

The California Environmental Justice Alliance ("CEJA") and Fighting for Informed

Environmentally Responsible Clean Energy ("FFIERCE") (collectively "Community Groups")

submit this late-filed status report pursuant to the November 18, 2016 Revised Committee

Scheduling order. Community Groups are concerned that the revised schedule will not

allow time for the affected community to participate in the proceeding. First, Community

Groups will have a great deal of difficulty participating in a workshop on a Final Staff

Assessment ("FSA") in the first week of the year. Community Groups also see preparing

rebuttal testimony in less than a week as essentially impossible.

CEJA reiterates its request that the staff schedule an FSA workshop after the first

week of January, and that the workshop take place on a date certain with sufficient time to

allow the parties to review the FSA and for organizers, and community, to prepare. Further,

CEJA requests that the Committee reconsider its schedule, and allow for six weeks after FSA

for filing of opening testimony, three weeks after for filing rebuttal testimony, prehearing

conference statements, and exhibit lists, and four weeks from rebuttal testimony to

evidentiary hearings.

Dated: December 5, 2016

Respectfully Submitted,

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