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August 27, 2019

Mr. Bryan Swann  
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Dear Mr. Swann:

As required by Senate Bill 350 (SB 350) (de León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015) the California Energy Commission (CEC) has reviewed Sacramento Municipal Utility District's (SMUD) 2018-2030 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) filing and standardized reporting tables, which were received on April 29, 2019. The CEC informed SMUD that the IRP filing was complete, as requested by Chapter 3, Section B.1 of the *Publicly Owned Utilities' Integrated Resource Plan Guidelines*.<sup>1</sup>

Based on a detailed review and analysis of SMUD's IRP, standardized tables, and other supporting information, I have determined that SMUD's 2018 IRP is consistent with the requirements of PUC section 9621, and meets California's energy, climate, and other policy goals, including:

- Achieving greenhouse gas emission reduction targets commensurate with the electricity sector's percentage of economy wide reductions of 40 percent from 1990 levels by 2030.
- Meeting the Renewables Portfolio Standard of 50 percent by 2030, based on SB 350.
- Ensuring planning goals related to retail rates, reliability, transmission and distribution systems, localized air pollution, and disadvantaged communities.
- Considering the role of renewable resources, grid efficiencies, energy storage, and distributed resources in meeting peak demand.
- Addressing procurement of energy efficiency and demand response, energy storage, transportation electrification, and portfolio diversification.

<sup>1</sup> See: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/IRPs/index.html>.

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The docketed staff paper, *Review of Sacramento Municipal Utility District's 2018 Integrated Resource Plan*, provides the details of the CEC's review and findings regarding the consistency of SMUD's IRP with PUC section 9621. The CEC anticipates considering adoption of this determination at a business meeting in December 2019.

If you have any questions regarding this determination, please contact John Mathias at [john.mathias@energy.ca.gov](mailto:john.mathias@energy.ca.gov) or (916) 651-9525.

Sincerely,



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