

BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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ORANGE GROVE'S STATUS REPORT November 15, 2007

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Orange Grove Energy, L.P. ("Orange Grove") provides this update on progress toward resolving issues identified by California Energy Commission ("Commission") Staff. First, Orange Grove has successfully resolved concerns about cooling water. The Fallbrook Public Utility District Board of Directors have approved an agreement to provide wastewater to the Orange Grove Project. Because there are no existing water pipelines to the project site, the water will be brought by truck to the site. Orange Grove has provided this information to Commission Staff and understands that Commission Staff will be sending data requests to Orange Grove regarding the delivery and use of wastewater for cooling. Second, Orange Grove expects to receive additional data requests on all issues that were initially scheduled to be discussed in the postponed Issues Resolution Workshop. Orange Grove hopes to resolve any outstanding questions in its responses to Commission Staff's data requests.

Orange Grove understands from Commission Staff that these data requests will be filed at or near the end of this week. Orange Grove anticipates the Issues Resolution Workshop will be rescheduled shortly after Orange Grove files the data responses.

Orange Grove appreciates the opportunity to keep the Committee informed about the status of this proceeding.

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PROOF OF SERVICE (Revised 10/16/07)

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I, Lois Navarrot, declare that on November 15, 2007, I deposited a copy of the attached Orange Grove's Status Report November 15, 2007 in the United States mail at Sacramento, California with first-class postage thereon fully prepaid to CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION, Attn: Docket No. 07-SPPE-2, 1516 Ninth Street, MS-4, Sacramento, California 95814-5512. Each individual on the proof of service list shown above received a transmission via electronic mail consistent with the requirements of the California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 1209, 1209.5 and 1210. All electronic copies were sent to all those identified on the Proof of Service list above.

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