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Mr. Robert B. Weisenmiller, Ph.D. Chairman
California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

Subject: RPS Proceeding, <u>Docket Numbers 02-REN-1038 and 11-RPS-01</u>: Notice to

Consider Suspension of RPS Eligibility Guidelines Related to Biomethane

Dear Chairman Weisenmiller:

Anahau Energy, LLC is one of the leading Woman and Minority Owned Business Enterprise ("WMBE") in the energy sector and is based in California.

Anahau actively markets natural gas and renewable biomethane (biogas) to California for RPS compliance. The proposed suspension of pipeline quality biomethane as an RPS eligible fuel will have a negative impact on Anahau's ability to conduct business with other companies (including California companies) that have developed renewable energy projects both inside and outside the State.

We have been working with Clean Energy Renewable Fuels for many months now on a deal that would bring renewable biogas to our California Market, but due to the possible suspension of biogas as an RPS eligible fuel, the deal may fall through. The proposed suspension will have a devastating effect on our small business and will severely impact our ability to conduct future business in the State of California. We strongly urge you to reconsider the moratorium on biogas as it will have a profoundly negative impact on small businesses, the environment and the California economy as a whole.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact the under signed at 310-546-4146.

Respectfully submitted,

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