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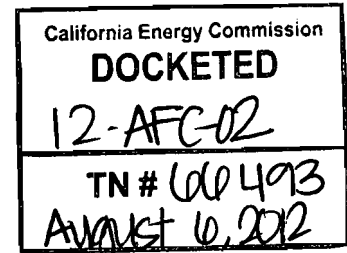
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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Mr. Robert Oglesby, Executive Director  
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1516 Ninth Street  
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**Re: Huntington Beach Energy Project (12-AFC-02)  
Additional Documents Submitted Under Pending Application**

Dear Ms. Miller:

On June 27, 2012, AES Southland Development, LLC ("Applicant") submitted an Application for Certification ("AFC") for the Huntington Beach Energy Project ("HBEP"). Therewith, Applicant submitted the requisite Application for Confidential Designation of Records ("Application") as such pertained to Cultural Resources. (Title 20, Cal. Code Regs. § 2505.) As of this date, Applicant has not received confirmation as to whether its June 27, 2012 Application has been granted. However, Applicant is submitting its Data Adequacy Supplement, which contains additional information it believes should be deemed confidential.

To that end, I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided herein as related to cultural resources evaluated for HBEP is substantially similar to the information submitted as part of the original AFC submittal and presented under Application for Confidential Designation previously submitted to you on June 27, 2012.

Should you have any questions concerning this submittal, please do not hesitate to contact me at (916) 319-4673.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Melissa A. Foster".

Melissa A. Foster

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cc: Stephen O'Kane, AES Southland Development, LLC  
Robert Mason, CH2M Hill, Inc.