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Mr. Greg Salyer Assistant General Manager, Electric Resources Modesto Irrigation District 1231 11th Street P.O. Box 4060 Modesto, CA 95352

RE: MODESTO IRRIGATION DISTRICT'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSTION OF RPS CERTIFICATION DEADLINE FOR NEW HOGAN POWER PLANT PROJECT (CEC-RPS-ID NO. 60153A)

Dear Mr. Salyer:

This is in response to MID's September 1, 2015 request for extension of the RPS certification application deadline for the New Hogan Power Plant Project facility. Resolution No. 14-0422-11, adopted at the Energy Commission's April 22, 2014, Business Meeting, established a process to allow the Executive Director to extend and waive application deadlines for RPS certification in certain circumstances and specified the criteria and process for requesting such extensions and waivers.

Energy Commission staff has reviewed the documentation submitted by MID pursuant to Resolution No. 14-0422-11. Based on the explanation of the circumstances surrounding MID's inability to submit a timely application for certification and the financial consequences of not granting an extension, I have determined it is appropriate to grant an extension of the RPS certification application deadline of August 30, 2010, from February 3, 2014, and to allow the RPS eligibility date of June 1, 2010, for the New Hogan Power Plant Project facility.

Energy Commission staff will soon provide the applicant for the New Hogan Power Plant Project facility LLC with a revised RPS Certificate that shows the revised eligibility date. If you have further questions about this matter, please contact Christina Crume at Christina.Crume@energy.ca.gov or 916-654-4674.

Sincerely.

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