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Mr. Mark Rigby Vice President DTE Stockton, LLC 2526 West Washington Street Stockton, CA 95203

RE: DTE STOCKTON LLC'S REQUEST FOR THE CREATION OF RETROACTIVE RECS IN WREGIS FOR DTE STOCKTON (CEC-RPS-ID NO. 60964A)

Dear Mr. Rigby:

This is in response to DTE Stockton LLC's October 9, 2015, request for the creation of retroactive renewable energy credits (RECs) in WREGIS. Resolution No. 14-1007-10, adopted at the Energy Commission's October 7, 2014, Business Meeting, established a process to allow the Executive Director to allow the creation of retroactive RECs in WREGIS for RPS certified facilities in certain circumstances and specified the criteria and process for requesting such creation of retroactive RECs in WREGIS.

Energy Commission staff has reviewed the documentation submitted by DTE Stockton, LLC pursuant to Resolution No. 14-1007-10. Based on the explanation of the circumstances surrounding DTE Stockton's inability to register and obtain approval in WREGIS in a timely manner, and the financial consequences of not granting the creation of retroactive RECs in WREGIS, I have determined it is appropriate to grant the creation of retroactive RECs in WREGIS for the vintage months of November 2013 through March 2014.

Energy Commission staff will forward this request to WREGIS staff and request WREGIS staff to create retroactive RECs in WREGIS in accordance with WREGIS Operating Rule Section 12.9 and invoice DTE Stockton, LLC for all costs and expenses incurred by WREGIS staff to create retroactive RECs. Furthermore, DTE Stockton, LLC shall submit an audit report for the DTE Stockton facility within 90 days from this approval date, consistent with the criteria listed in the RPS Eligibility Guidebook, 8<sup>th</sup> Edition.

If you have further questions about this matter, please contact Christina Crume at Christina. Crume@energy.ca.gov or 916-654-4674.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Oglesby

**Executive Director** 

CC:

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