

# Visual Contrast Rating Data Sheet

## Devers-Palo Verde 2 Transmission Line Project

### KEY VIEWPOINT DESCRIPTION

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| <b>Key Viewpoint</b><br><div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">31</div>                            |  |
| <b>Location</b><br>Southbound Kaiser Road, approximately one mile north of Interstate 10 and Desert Center, viewing to the south. |  |
| <b>VRM Class</b><br><div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">III</div>                               |  |
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| <b>Date</b><br>February 23, 2006  |  |

### CHARACTERISTIC LANDSCAPE DESCRIPTION

|                | LANDFORM / WATER   | VEGETATION   | STRUCTURES       |
|----------------|--|--|------------------|
| <b>Form</b>    | Flat, horizontal valley floor, to horizontal, angular and rugged mountains | Complex, continuous to irregular with clumps                                 | Simple linear    |
| <b>Line</b>    | Horizontal to diagonal, and irregular                                      | Horizontal to diagonal (defined by valley floor) to irregular and indistinct | Diagonal         |
| <b>Color</b>   | Tan and brown to lavender and bluish hues at distance                      | Tan to pale yellow for grasses, gray and light to dark greens for shrubs     | Gray and tan     |
| <b>Texture</b> | Smooth to granular and coarse  | Matte  | Smooth to coarse |

### PROPOSED ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION

|                | LANDFORM / WATER | VEGETATION | STRUCTURES   |
|----------------|------------------|------------|--|
| <b>Form</b>    | Same             | Same       | Geometric and complex to simple linear                           |
| <b>Line</b>    | Same             | Same       | Vertical and diagonal for structures, curvilinear for conductors |
| <b>Color</b>   | Same             | Same       | Light to dark gray   |
| <b>Texture</b> | Same             | Same       | Smooth   |

### DEGREE OF CONTRAST

|                | LANDFORM / WATER |      |          |        | VEGETATION |      |          |        | STRUCTURES |      |          |        |
|----------------|------------------|------|----------|--------|------------|------|----------|--------|------------|------|----------|--------|
|                | NONE             | WEAK | MODERATE | STRONG | NONE       | WEAK | MODERATE | STRONG | NONE       | WEAK | MODERATE | STRONG |
| <b>Form</b>    | 4                |      |          |        | 4          |      |          |        |            |      | 4        | 4      |
| <b>Line</b>    | 4                |      |          |        | 4          |      |          |        |            |      | 4        | 4      |
| <b>Color</b>   | 4                |      |          |        | 4          |      |          |        |            | 4    | 4        |        |
| <b>Texture</b> | 4                |      |          |        | 4          |      |          |        |            | 4    |          |        |

### LEVEL OF CHANGE & VRM CLASS CONSISTENCY

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| <b>Term:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Long                                    | <b>Level of Change:</b><br><small>(Moderate to High)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Very Low <input type="checkbox"/> Low <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> High |
| <b>Does the Project Design Meet VRM Objectives?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |   |