Visual Contrast Rating Data Sheet
Devers-Palo Verde 2 Transmission Line Project

KEY VIEWPOINT DESCRIPTION

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Location Eagletail Mountains BLM access road YE047, at the north end of the Eagletail Mountains.	
VRM Class III	
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CHARACTERISTIC LANDSCAPE DESCRIPTION

	LANDFORM / WATER	VEGETATION	STRUCTURES
Form	Flat horizontal to angular and rounded	Patchy	Geometric and complex to simple linear
Line	Horizontal to rolling and irregular	Irregular to distinct horizontal as defined by valley floor	Vertical to diagonal for structures to curvilinear for conductors
Color	Tan to lavender and bluish hues at distance	Tans to pale yellow for grasses, muted greens for shrubs	Light gray
Texture	Smooth to granular	Matte	Smooth

PROPOSED ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION

	LANDFORM / WATER	VEGETATION	STRUCTURES
Form	Same	Same	Geometric and complex to simple linear
Line	Same	Same	Vertical to diagonal for structures to curvilinear for conductors
Color	Same	Same	Light gray
Texture	Same	Same	Smooth

DEGREE OF CONTRAST

	LANDFORM / WATER				VEGETATION				STRUCTURES			
	NONE	WEAK	MODERATE	STRONG	NONE	WEAK	MODERATE	STRONG	NONE	WEAK	MODERATE	STRONG
Form	4				4						4	
Line	4				4						4	
Color	4				4					4		
Texture	4				4					4		

LEVEL OF CHANGE & VRM CLASS CONSISTENCY

Term: ☐ Short ☒ Long	**Level of Change:** (Low to Moderate)	☐ Very Low	☒ Low	☒ Moderate	☐ High

Does the Project Design Meet VRM Objectives?	☒ Yes	☐ No