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Billie Blanchard
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102

Subject: Eldorado-Lugo-Mohave Series Capacitator Project – Notice of Application for a Permit to Construct dated May 2, 2018

Dear Ms. Blanchard:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has reviewed the Notice of Application for a Permit to Construct for Eldorado-Lugo-Mohave Series Capacitator Project (project). The project is located at various locations within San Bernardino County. The proposed project consists of the relocation, replacement, or modification of new and existing transmission, sub-transmission, and distribution facilities.

As the owner and operator of the State Highway System (SHS), it is our responsibility to coordinate and consult with local jurisdictions when proposed development may impact our facilities. As the responsible agency under the California Environmental Quality Act, it is also our responsibility to make recommendations to offset associated impacts with the proposed project. Although the project is under the jurisdiction of the California Public Utilities Commission, due to the project's potential impact to the State facilities, it is also subject to the policies and regulations that govern the SHS.

We have reviewed the Notice of Application for a Permit to Construct. We have no comments at this time.

Please continue to keep us informed of the project and other future updates, which could potentially impact the SHS and interfacing transportation facilities. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Ricky Rivers at (909) 806-3298 or myself at (909) 383-3923.

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Sincerely,

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