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April 2, 2010

Mr. Alberto Abreu Sempra Generation Director – Project Development 101 Ash St., HQ14A San Diego, California 92101-3017

(sent via email - AAbreu@SempraGeneration.com)

Subject: Energia Sierra Juarez Gen-Tie Project - Data Request No. 2

Dear Mr. Abreu:

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) has identified additional information required in support of the East County Substation, Tule Wind, and Energia Sierra Juarez Gen-Tie Projects EIR/EIS analysis. This is a request seeking further information pertaining to how a shift of the SDG&E proposed ECO substation to the east will affect the proposed ESJ Gen-Tie Project.. This alternative location is approximately 700 feet east of the currently proposed location. A map is attached showing the boundary of the location on a aerial base.

Please provide a response by April 30, 2010 as this will help us maintain our schedule for completion of the first Administrative Draft EIR/EIS.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or need additional information, please contact me at 415.355.5580 or aei@cpuc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Iain Fisher Energy Division California Public Utilities Commission

cc: Joan Heredia, Sempra (JHeredia@SempraGlobal.com)

Alternative Location of SDG&E ECO Substation (700 feet to east from current location)

a) Please provide a description of how this change in location of the ECO Substation would modify ESJ's project description and environmental resource impacts (see **Table 1**) for the proposed ESJ Gen-Tie Project. If there is no difference in impact then please positively state that there are no changes.

Project Description & Resource Areas	Items Required for ECO relocation Alternative
Project Description	Maps and figures that contain the revised Proposed Project component designs
	Changes of the ESJ project in relation to changes in location, size, and orientation of the ECO Substation
	Description of changes in locations of 230kV or 500kV transmission structures
	Any Changes to location, quantity, and dimensions of all temporary work areas and access roads
	Any Changes to temporary and permanent impact calculations associated with your project as a consequence of this alternative
	Changes in permanent land requirements
	Changes in quantity and duration of use of all construction equipment
	Changes in quantity of truck trips required
	Changes in construction schedule
Aesthetics	Any changes in the ESJ project's visual impact due to this ECO substation alternative.
Air Quality	Any changes in criteria air pollutant and greenhouse gas emissions from the ESJ project due to this alternative for ECO project
Biological Resources	Any temporary and permanent impact calculations to vegetation types and critical habitat associated with alternative location of ECO Substation, impacting on the ESJ project
	Any impacts to potentially jurisdictional water features
Cultural Resources	Discussion of any changes to the ESJ project's existing cultural resource impacts
Hydrology and Water Quality	Any changes to the ESJ project impact calculations to hydrological features



