



California Public Utilities Commission



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David Wilson
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SUBJECT: Round Mountain 500 kV Area Dynamic Reactive Support Project – Data Request 7

Dear Mr. Wilson:

As the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) proceeds with our environmental review for LS Power Grid's Round Mountain 500 kV Area Dynamic Reactive Support Project (Project), we have identified additional information that would help us adequately conduct the CEQA review. We are looking for clarification regarding a specific aspect of the Project Description. Please provide the information requested below (Data Request 7) by August 4, 2023, and submit your response in electronic format to the CPUC and also directly to our consultant, Environmental Science Associates (ESA).

Please do not hesitate to call me at (408) 915-7434 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Boris Sanchez
Project Manager for the LSPGC Round Mountain 500 kV Area Dynamic Reactive Support Project
Energy Division

cc: Mary Jo Borak, CPUC Energy Division Supervisor
Michael Manka, ESA

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Data Request 7
Round Mountain 500 kV Dynamic Reactive Support Project's CEQA
Evaluation

1. Livestock Fencing. LSPGC's response to CPUC Data Request 6, Question 2, states temporary installation of fencing during Project construction may be required for livestock exclusion. In its comment letter on the Draft IS/MND, the California Department of Fish and Wildlife stated that fencing associated with the Project should be wildlife friendly. Please confirm whether any temporary livestock exclusion fencing associated with the Project would be installed in a wildlife-friendly manner (e.g., smooth wire or rail on the top, smooth wire on the bottom).