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Via Electronic Submittal (eFile)

Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION 888 First Street, NE Washington, D.C. 20426

Subject:Yuba River Development Project<br/>FERC Project No. 2246-079 – California<br/>Determination of Eligibility for Our House Dam Road (CA-SIE-1849H)<br/>for the Log Cabin and Our House Diversion Dam Sediment Management<br/>Plan Implementation, Yuba, Sierra, and Nevada Counties.<br/>PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL ENCLOSED

Dear Secretary Bose:

This letter provides to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) the following attachments to document National Historic Preservation Act consultation regarding implementation of the FERC-approved *Log Cabin and Our House Diversion Dams Sediment Management Plan* for Yuba County Water Agency's (YCWA) Yuba River Development Project (FERC Project No. 2246):

- Report entitled: National Register of Historic Places [NRHP] Evaluation of Our House Dam Road (CA-SIE-1849H) for the Log Cabin and Our House Diversion Dams Sediment Management Plan Implementation on Yuba County Water Agency's Yuba River Development Project in Yuba, Sierra, and Nevada Counties, California (FERC No. 2246-079). (PRIVILEGED/CONFIDENTIAL)
- Letter dated April 23, 2018 from the California State Historic Preservation Officer to YCWA providing concurrence on the NRHP evaluation of Our House Dam Road (CA-SIE-1849H).
- Letter dated March 30, 2018 (post-dated April 17, 2018, received April 20, 2018) from the United Auburn Indian Community to YCWA responding to the NRHP evaluation report for Our House Dam Road (CA-SIE-1849H).

Please file the report attached to this letter in FERC's Privileged files.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me or Ms. Danielle Risse, Senior Cultural Resources Specialist with HDR Engineering, at 916-679-8796 (email danielle.risse@hdrinc.com).

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cc w/out Attach: Distribution List Parties on FERC's Official Service List for the Yuba River Development Project Relicensing, FERC Project No. 2246-079 Relicensing Participants on YCWA's Yuba River Development Project's Relicensing E-Mail Contact List (via e-mail)

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I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in this proceeding (Yuba River Development Project, FERC Project No. 2246-079).

Dated in Sacramento, CA this  $\frac{26}{26}$  day of April 2018.

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