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Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20426

SUBJECT: Yuba River Development Project FERC Project No. 2246-058 - California Updated Study Report

Dear Secretary Bose:

In accordance with 18 CFR Section 5.15(f), the Yuba County Water Agency (YCWA) hereby files with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) the attached Updated Study Report for relicensing of YCWA's Yuba River Development Project (FERC Project Number 2246).

YCWA's Updated Study Report covers the period from initiation of the various relicensing studies through December 3, 2013, and provides for each study a description of YCWA's progress in implementing the study plan and schedule, the data collected, and an explanation of any variance to the FERC-approved study. The report also includes a description of YCWA's proposed modifications to ongoing studies and new studies.

As described in Section 4.0 of the Updated Study Report, YCWA in consultation with Relicensing Participants has scheduled a meeting on December 17, 2013, in Marysville, California, to discuss proposed modifications to ongoing studies and new studies.

By December 31, 2013, YCWA will file with FERC a summary of the December 17, 2013, meeting including any changes to the study modifications and new studies proposed by YCWA in its Updated Study Report.

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If you have any questions about the Updated Study Report, please contact me.

Sincerely,

YUBA COUNTY WATER AGENCY

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Enclosure: YCWA's Yuba River Development Project Updated Study Report

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