

December 10, 2013

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Hon. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

**Re: AES Huntington Beach, L.L.C., Docket No. ER13-351-000
Informational Filing and Request for Privileged Treatment**

Dear Ms. Bose:

The California Independent System Operator Corporation (“ISO”) submits this informational filing, pursuant to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s January 4, 2013 order approving the Reliability Must-Run Agreement for synchronous condensers at AES Huntington Beach Generating Station Units 3 and 4 (“RMR Agreement”).¹ This order directed the ISO to file a report every 90 days “on the hours of operation of the synchronous condensers until [the synchronous condensers are] no longer deemed necessary due to changed circumstances, such as the return of [the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 2 and 3] or other generation changes.”² In accordance with the January 4 order, the ISO submits its second report, attached as Appendix A.

The ISO is seeking privileged treatment of Appendix A pursuant to 18 C.F.R. Section 388.112 and Article 5.5 of the RMR Agreement. Article 5.5 of the RMR Agreement requires the RMR owner, on a monthly basis, to provide the ISO and the Responsible Utilities certain information, including the “Counted Service Hours,” and requires the ISO to treat this information as confidential. Counted Service Hours is equivalent to “hours of operation” and, therefore, the ISO is required to treat this information as confidential.

As discussed in its first report, filed on September 23, 2013, the ISO proposes to submit reports by the tenth day following the end of each subsequent three-month period of operations using the information provided to the ISO by the RMR owner in accordance with Article 5.5 of the RMR Agreement. The ISO will file its third report by March 10, 2013.

¹ *AES Huntington Beach, L.L.C.*, 142 FERC ¶ 61,017 (2013).

² *Id.* at P 24.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions about this submittal.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Informational Filing of Hours of Operation – Synchronous Condensers
AES Huntington Beach Generating Station Units 3 and 4
September 23, 2013
California Independent System Operator Corporation**

Appendix A

**[ATTACHMENT CONSISTS OF PRIVILEGED MATERIAL REDACTED
PURSUANT TO 18 C.F.R. 388.112]**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served the foregoing document upon the parties listed on the official service list in the above-referenced proceeding, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 2010 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.2010).

Dated at Folsom, CA this 10th day of December 2013.

/s/ Anna Pascuzzo

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