

December 1, 2021

Governor's Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse Attn: Mikayla Vaba 1400 Tenth Street, Suite222 Sacramento, CA 95814-5502

## Re: Extension of Comment Period for the Quemetco Capacity Upgrade Project Draft Environmental Impact Report (SCH #2018081096)

Dear Ms. Vaba:

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (South Coast AQMD) previously submitted a Notice of Completion and Draft Environmental Impact Report (Draft EIR) for the Quemetco Capacity Upgrade Project (SCH #2018081096) to your office which was received and posted on October 14, 2021 at https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/Project/2018081096.

The Draft EIR was initially circulated for a 61-day public review and comment period from October 14, 2021 to December 14, 2021. While the statutory requirement is for a 45-day public review and comment period, the time is being extended by an additional 63 days to **February 15**, **2022** in response to numerous requests to do so. No other revisions have been made to the Draft EIR. To memorialize the extension of the public comment and review period for this project, attached is an Extended Notice of Completion. At your earliest convenience, please update the posting for this project to include this additional notice and to update the "State Review Period End" date to reflect February 15, 2022.

If you have any questions regarding this request or require additional information, please call me at (909) 396-2716. Thank you for your kind attention regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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