

OFIGINAL **BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING** 1 **COMMITTEE** 2 IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HUALAPAI VALLEY SOLAR LLC, IN Docket No.: L-00000NN-09-0541-00151 3 CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES §§ 40-360.03 4 Case No. 151 AND 40-360.06, FOR A CERTIFICATE OF 5 ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING CONSTRUCTION OF THE HVS 6 PROJECT, A 340 MW PARABOLIC TROUGH **NOTICE OF FILING E-MAIL** 7 CONCENTRATING SOLAR THERMAL **COMMUNICATION** GENERATING FACILITY AND AN 8 ASSOCIATED GEN-TIE LINE INTERCONNECTING THE GENERATING 9 FACILITY TO THE EXISTING MEAD-PHOENIX 500kV TRANSMISSION LINE, THE MEAD-10 RECEIVE LIBERTY 345kV TRANSMISSION LINE OR 11 THE MOENKOPI-EL DORADO 500kV TRANSMISSION LINE. 12 13 14 The Chairman of the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee is providing 15 notice of filing the attached e-mail communications that have occurred between the Parties to this 16 case and the Chairman, up to this date since the previous filing on November 24, 2009. 17 DATED: December 8, 2009 18 19 toran 20 21 Arizona Corporation Commission John Foreman, Chairman 22 DOCKETED Arízona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee 23 DEC - 8 2009 Assistant Attorney General john.foreman@azag.gov 24 **DOCKETED BY** 25 26

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2	The Original and 25 copies were filed December 8, 2009 with:
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8	Copy of the above was mailed this 8 th day of December, 2009 to:
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From:	Tara Williams
То:	Marjorie Haberman
Date:	11/23/2009 3:22 PM
Subject:	RE: Notice

Thank you, Marge. Yes, we received the application you sent over, and I have delivered that to the Chairman.

Thank you, Tara Williams Assistant Consumer Protection & Advocacy Section Office of the Attorney General Tel: (602) 542-7759 Fax: (602) 542-4377 tara.williams@azag.gov

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>>> "Haberman, Marjorie" <<u>MHaberman@LRLaw.com</u>> 11/23/2009 3:20 PM >>> Tara,

We filed the Hualapai Valley Solar CEC application about an hour ago and I delivered a copy to the front desk at 1275 W. Washington for the Chairman.

I still owe you the map that will be attached to the Notice of Filing. I have incorporated the Chairman's changes to the notice into the document that we will have published. I will let you know as soon as we have the docket number.

Marge

Marjorie J. Haberman Paralegal Lewis and Roca LLP 40 N. Central Avenue, #1900 Phoenix, AZ 85004 phone: 602-262-5351 fax: 602-738-3473 email: <u>MHaberman@LRLaw.com</u> web: <u>www.LewisandRoca.com</u>

-----Original Message-----From: Tara Williams [mailto:Tara.Williams@azaq.gov] Sent: Monday, November 23, 2009 9:31 AM To: Haberman, Marjorie Subject: Notice

Good Morning Marge,

The Chairman has made a few minor changes to the Notice of Hearing. I have attached the document. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

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From:	"Haberman, Marjorie" <mhaberman@lrlaw.com></mhaberman@lrlaw.com>
То:	"Tara Williams" <tara williams@azag.gov=""></tara>
Date:	11/24/2009 11:42 AM
Subject:	L-00000NN-09-0541-00151 - Hualapai Valley Solar
Attachments:	Hualapai Valley Solar Map.pdf; Hualapai Valley Solar Docket.pdf

Tara,

Attached is the confirmation of the docket number for the Hualapai Valley Solar CEC application that was filed yesterday. Also attached is the map of the project to be included with the Chairman's Notice of Hearing. Please let me know when the Notice is docketed and we will release the copy for publication.

I will have hotel information for you shortly.

Marge

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From:	Tara Williams
То:	Bayer, Susan; Bensusan, Denise
Date:	11/24/2009 11:55 AM
Subject:	Hualapai Valley Solar Application

This e-mail is to notify you that the Hualapai Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility was filed yesterday with the Arizona Corporation Commission. The hearing has been scheduled for January 12 - 14th, and if you choose to intervene, you have until 10 calendar days prior to the beginning of the hearing to file a request with Docket Control of the Commission.

I will be sending the Notice of Hearing with the case's docket number in my next e-mail, and I will notify you of the date set for the pre-hearing conference, which the Chairman advises you to attend.

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From:	Tara Williams
То:	Denise Bensusan@hughes.net
Date:	11/24/2009 1:12 PM
Subject:	Re: Notice of Hearing
Attachments:	0000097068.pdf

CC: Bayer, Susan

Ms. Bensusan,

If you plan to intervene, you must file a formal request (and 25 copies of the request) with the Corporation Commission Docket Control. I have attached an example that was filed for a different case. Please note that the docket number and case description listed at the top of the page should match those listed on the Notice of Hearing sent earlier.

Please let me know if you have any other questions.

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>>> "Denise <u>Bensusan@hughes.net"</u> <<u>denisebensusan@hughes.net</u>> 11/24/2009 12:22 PM >>> Do you need an official letter of intervention from me.

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Please see the attached document, which was filed today with the Commission.

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1	TRANSMISSION LINE SITIN	NG COMMITTEE
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3	IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF	
4	HUALAPAI VALLEY SOLAR LLC, IN	Docket No.: L-00000NN-09-0541-00151
5	CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES §§ 40-	
6	360.03 AND 40-360.06, FOR A CERTIFICATE	Case No. 151
7	OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING CONSTRUCTION OF THE HVS	
8	PROJECT, A 340 MW PARABOLIC TROUGH CONCENTRATING SOLAR THERMAL	
9	GENERATING FACILITY AND AN	
10	ASSOCIATED GEN-TIE LINE INTERCONNECTING THE GENERATING	
11	FACILITY TO THE EXISTING MEAD- PHOENIX 500kV TRANSMISSION LINE, THE	
12	MEAD-LIBERTY 345kV TRANSMISSION	
12	LINE OR THE MOENKOPI-EL DORADO 500kV TRANSMISSION LINE.	
14	NOTICE OF HEA	ARING
15	A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD before the Ari	
16 17	Siting Committee (Committee) regarding the Application (Applicant) for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibution MW parabolic trough concentrating solar power generation	bility to authorize construction of a 340
18	line interconnecting the generating facility to the existing the Mead-Liberty 345kV transmission line, or the Moer	g Mead-Phoenix 500kV transmission line,
19	(collectively, the Project).	
20	The hearing will be held at the Hampton Inn and Suites	
21	Avenue, Kingman, Mohave County, Arizona, 86409, te shall begin on Tuesday, January 12, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. a	
22	2010, at 9:30 a.m., and, if necessary, Thursday, January adjourn at approximately 5:00 p.m. on each day. Addit	v 14, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. The hearing will
23	on the Project and Arizona Corporation Commission (A	
24	The website for the Hualapai Valley Solar Project is: w	ww.hualapaivalleysolar.com.
25	The website for the ACC is: www.azcc.gov/AZ_Power	
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PUBLIC COMMENT MAY BE TAKEN AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH HEARING DAY OR AT OTHER TIMES DURING THE HEARING AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE. PUBLIC COMMENT ALSO WILL BE TAKEN IN A SPECIAL EVENING SESSION ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2010, BEGINNING AT 6:00 P.M., AT THE HAMPTON INN AND SUITES KINGMAN, LOCATED AT 1791 SYCAMORE AVENUE, KINGMAN, ARIZONA, 86409.

5 The Committee, at its discretion, may conduct a tour of the Project site. If so, the tour will depart from the Hampton Inn parking lot at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 13, 2010. A map and 6 itinerary for the proposed tour will be available at the hearing and at the Hampton Inn parking lot at the time of commencement of the tour, if conducted. Members of the public may follow the 7 Committee on the tour in their own private vehicles. During the tour the Committee may hear 8 brief testimony at stops on the tour from one or more witnesses concerning where the stops are located, what is visible at the stops, and the relevance of the location and view to the facilities in 9 the Application. No other discussion or deliberation concerning the Application will occur during the tour. A court reporter or recording device will record any testimony taken on the tour for 10 transcription.

The Committee may, at its discretion, recess the hearing to a time and place to be announced
 during the hearing, or to be determined after the recess. The date, time and place at which the
 hearing will be resumed will be posted on the Project and ACC websites. NOTE: NOTICE OF
 SUCH RESUMED HEARING WILL BE GIVEN; HOWEVER, PUBLISHED NOTICE OF
 SUCH RESUMED HEARING IS NOT REQUIRED.

The Project is located in Mohave County, approximately 27 miles north of Kingman, Arizona, and
80 miles southeast of Las Vegas, Nevada. The 340 megawatt CSP generating facility is located
entirely on private land in Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, and the north half of Section 31 all
within Township 26 North, Range 16 West, Gila and Salt River Baseline and Meridian.

18 The application seeks approval of two transmission line interconnections:

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19 Interconnection #1 Gen-Tie alignment, located entirely in Township 26 North, Range 16 West, runs from the generating facility's power block to the property boundary; then north for 1.25 miles 20 within a 1320-foot wide corridor from the property boundary along the east boundary of Section 17 (private property) and Section 08 (BLM land); then north for 1.25 miles within a 1320-foot 21 wide corridor along the west boundary of Section 16 (BLM land) and Section 09 (private property) until it reaches the north boundary of Section 09; then east for about 0.75 miles within a 22 1320-foot wide corridor along the north boundary of Section 09 (private property) until it reaches the termination in the northeast corner of Section 09 (private property). Interconnection #1 is 23 approximately 2.75 miles in length from the generating facility property boundary and has a total 24 ROW acreage of approximately 70 acres.

Interconnection #2 Gen-Tie alignment runs from the generating facility's power block to the
 property boundary; then north for 1.25 miles within a 1320-foot wide corridor from the property
 boundary along the east boundary of Section 17 (private property) and Section 08 (BLM land);

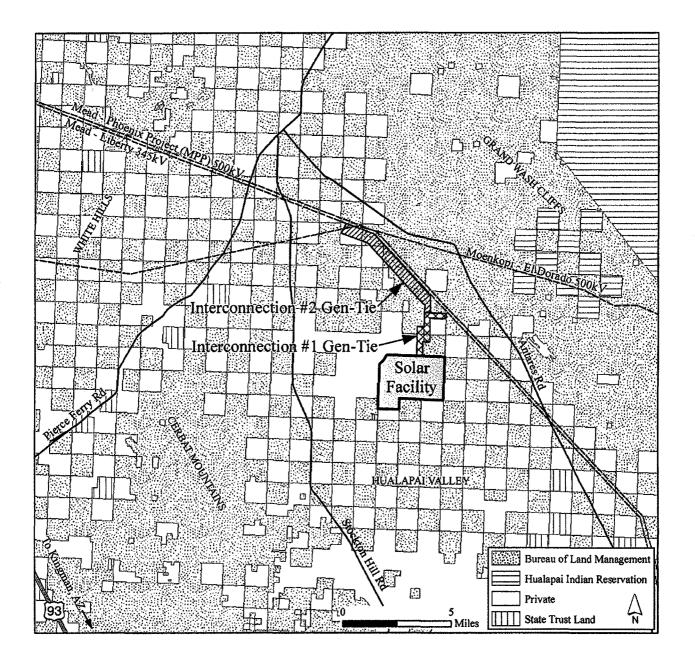
1	then north for 1.25 miles within a 1320-foot wide corridor along the west boundary of Section 16 (BLM land) and Section 09 (private property) until it reaches the north boundary of Section 09;
2	then north for one mile within a 1320-foot wide corridor through Section 04 until it reaches the
3	west boundary of the existing Mead-Liberty 345kV transmission line corridor, which it will parallel on a generally northwest heading; from there it will run within a 2640-foot wide corridor
4	measured from the centerline of the Mead-Liberty 345kV transmission line west of and parallel to the existing transmission line for approximately 3.5 miles, going through the northeast corner of
5	Section 05 in Township 26 North, Range 16 West (BLM land); through Sections 32, 31, and 30 in Township 27 North, Range 16 West (BLM land); through Sections 25 (private property) and 24
6	(BLM land) in Township 27 North, Range 17 West; and terminate in Section 23 (private property)
7	in Township 27 North, Range 17 West. Interconnection #2 is approximately 6.5 miles in length from the property boundary and has a total ROW acreage of approximately 160 acres.
8	As an alternative, the Applicant may build a 500 MW photo-voltaic (PV) generating facility. The
9	Interconnection Gen-Tie alternatives will be the same for the PV project as for the CSP project.
10	Maps of the Project site and detailed information about project facilities and technology are
11	contained in the Application, which is available for inspection at the following locations:
12	• Docket Control Center of the ACC Phoenix Office at 1200 West Washington Street, Suite
13	 108, Phoenix, Arizona 85007; Mohave County Library - Kingman, 3269 N. Burbank Street, Kingman, Arizona 86402;
14	 928-692-2665; and Lewis and Roca LLP, 40 N. Central Avenue, Suite 1900, Phoenix, Arizona 85004.
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16	Each county and municipal government and state agency interested in the proposed Project and desiring to be a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten days before the date set for
17	hearing, file with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, a notice of intent to be a party.
18	Any domestic non-profit corporation or association formed in whole or in part to promote
19	conservation of natural beauty, to protect the environment, personal health or other biological
20	values, to preserve historical sites, to promote consumer interests, to represent commercial and industrial groups, or to promote the orderly development of the area in which the Project is to be
21	located and desiring to become a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten days before the date set for hearing, file with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200
22	West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 a notice of intent to be a party.
23	The Committee or its Chairman, at any time deemed appropriate, may make other persons parties
24	to the proceeding.
25	Any person may make a limited appearance at a hearing by filing a statement in writing with Docket Control of the Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix,
26	Arizona 85007, and the Chairman of the Committee at 1275 West Washington Street, Phoenix,
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Arizona 85007, not less than five days before the date set for hearing. A person making a limited appearance shall not be a party or have the right to present testimony or cross-examine witnesses.

This proceeding is governed by Arizona Revised Statutes Sections 40-360 to 40-360.13 and Arizona Administrative Code R14-3-201 to R14-3-220. No substantive communication not in the public record may be made to any member of the Committee. The written decision of the Committee will be submitted to the Arizona Corporation Commission pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes Section 40-360.07. Any person intending to be a party to the proceedings on these matters before the Arizona Corporation Commission must be a party to the proceedings before the Committee.

ORDERED this 24th day of November, 2009.

John Foreman, CHAIRMAN ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL



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INTERVENTION BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMM

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF UNS ELECTRIC, INC., FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY FOR THE VAIL TO VALENCIA 115 KV TO 138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE UPGRADE PROJECT, ORIGINATING AT THE EXISTING VAIL SUBSTATION IN SEC. 4, T.16S., R.15E., PIMA COUNTY, TO THE EXISTING VALENCIA SUBSTATION IN SEC. 5, T.24S., R.14E., IN THE CITY OF NOGALES, SANTA CRUZ COUNTY, ARIZONA.

-0190→00144 Docket No. L-00000F-09-0144-

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Arizona Transmission and Power Plant Line Siting Case No. 144

Notice of Filing a Motion to Intervene

by

Elizabeth Buchroeder-Webb (Elizabeth Webb)

As a ratepayer, consumer, and interested party, I respectfully request to be a party in this matter. I have experiences involving Vail and Pima County energy issues as a civilian intervener in TEP Line Site Case 138 and City of Tucson Case SE-08-05 TEP Cienega Substation Dawn Drive RH Zone (Ward 4). Additionally, I am a community volunteer in local historic, cultural, educational, environmental issues as well as a member of the Vail Preservation Society and the Hilton Ranch Community Association. Potential issues should be prudently resolved during this case. The key issue is the impact to the natural, historic and human environment within the approximately 425 square miles of the Vail School District boundaries- an area also encompassed within the identified boundaries of the Vail Preservation Society. I respectfully ask **not to be combined** with any other interveners in this case as my area of interest is predominately within Segment 1A and a smidge south of there within Pima County.-.

The following are concerns in this case:

1. Environmental impacts of new transmission line routes and associated access roads.

2. Visual impacts of "weathered" compared to less visible galvanized steel poles

3. Repetitive impacts to the natural, cultural and human environments of one county/area in Arizona for the benefit of a different county/area and another separate corporation in the state of Arizona-particularly in rural areas.

If this motion is approved, I request a discovery period through 30 June 2009, due to the short time between date of my motion to intervene and the hearings. If the applicant denies any discovery data request, that response requires rapid adjudication. Such denied response needs to include the Committee Chairman as an addressee so any dispute can be promptly resolved. I plan to dispute any data request denial to the Committee Chairman within 3 days. Ten calendar days for data request responses is expected and appreciated.

Arizona Corporation Commission

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This filing has been mailed to all parties in the Service List below.

Respectfully submitted on this 13th day of May 2009

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ELIZABETH BUCHROEDER

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Elizabeth Buchroeder-Webb 17451 E. Hilton Ranch Rd. Vail, Arizona 85641 (520) 247-3838 vailaz@hotmail.com

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Original and 25 copies of the foregoing are filed this date with: Docket Control (25 copies) Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2927

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From:	Tara Williams
To:	Susan
Date:	11/24/2009 3:19 PM
Subject:	Re: Notice of Hearing

Ms. Bayer,

Yes, an original and 25 copies of all filings (i.e. Requests to Intervene, Briefs, etc.) should be sent to the Corporation Commission Docket Control. Have a happy Thanksgiving.

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>>> "Susan" <<u>rbbdci@frontiernet.net</u>> 11/24/2009 3:12 PM >>> Dear Ms. Williams:

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you. I do have a question. Am I correct in my figuring that any and all documents are to be copied in amounts of 25 for everything. I wish to thank you again for everything, and keeping me informed. I hope that you and your family have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Sincerely,

Susan Bayer ----- Original Message ----to be made From: "Tara Williams" <<u>Tara.Williams@azaq.gov</u>> To: "Janice Alward" <<u>JAlward@azcc.gov</u>>; "Susan Bayer" <<u>rbbdci@frontiernet.net</u>>; "Denise Bensusan" <<u>denisebensusan@hughes.net</u>>; "Thomas Campbell" <<u>TCampbell@LRLaw.com</u>> Cc: "Marta Hetzer" <<u>azrs@az-reporting.com</u>>; "Marjorie Haberman" <<u>MHaberman@LRLaw.com</u>> Sent: Tuesday, November 24, 2009 12:08 PM Subject: Notice of Hearing

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Tara,

If the pre-hearing conference can be set for the afternoon of January 4th that would be great. If Jan. 4th does not work for the Chairman, let me know when he is available that week.

Marge

-----Original Message-----From: Tara Williams [mailto:Tara.Williams@azag.gov] Sent: Tuesday, November 24, 2009 8:59 AM To: Haberman, Marjorie Subject: Pre-Hearing Conference

Good Morning Marge,

The Chairman would like to schedule the pre-hearing conference for the Hualapai application. Since the hearing is scheduled for January 12th, the conference can probably be either December 30th or the week of January 4th.

Thank you, Tara Williams Assistant Consumer Protection & Advocacy Section Office of the Attorney General Tel: (602) 542-7759 Fax: (602) 542-4377 tara.williams@azag.gov

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From:	Tara Williams
То:	Marjorie Haberman
Date:	11/24/2009 3:32 PM
Subject:	Re: Case 151 - Kingman Hotel Information

Thank you, Marge. I'll forward that information to the Committee. Also, the Chairman is out of the office this afternoon, but I will check with him tomorrow about the pre-hearing conference.

Tara

>>> "Haberman, Marjorie" <<u>MHaberman@LRLaw.com</u>> 11/24/2009 3:26 PM >>> Tara,

Since the hearing will be held at the Hampton Inn and Suites Kingman, we have set aside a block of sleeping rooms at the Hampton Inn for the committee, the applicant, and the court reporters. The government rate that was quoted to us by the Hampton Inn is \$99.00 per night. Let me know if the committee will need more documentation than that to have their expenses approved.

Marge

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Subject:	Re: doc. L-00000nn-09-0541-00151
Attachments:	NOH.pdf; 0000103980.pdf

Mr. Ehrhardt,

I have attached two documents for you. One is the Notice of Hearing for the Hualapai case, and the other is a Request to Intervene from a previous case. It can be used as an example for what to file with Docket Control of the Corporation Commission. If you have any questions about filing with the Corporation Commission, you can contact Docket Control at (602) 542-3477.

Thank you, Tara Williams Assistant Consumer Protection & Advocacy Section Office of the Attorney General Tel: (602) 542-7759 Fax: (602) 542-4377 tara.williams@azag.gov

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>>> "Jack Ehrhardt" <<u>hualapaiplanning@citlink.net</u>> 11/24/2009 3:06 PM >>> Greetings, The Hualapai Tribal Council has expressed interest in receiving official Intervention Status in the referenced doc. #-case #151, Hualapai Valley Solar, wet cooled C.S.P.. Please provide appropriate forms for the Tribe to fill out to achieve this status in this case. The Tribes standing stems from having Tribal property within some 5 miles of this proposed project and its concerns about the effects on its aboriginal water rights, among other issues .

Respectfully;

Jack Ehrhardt

Hualapai Tribe

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4	Attorney for W Harquahala, LLC	
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6 7	BEFORE THE ARIZONA TRANSMISSION LINE S	POWER PLANT AND ITING COMMITTEE
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21	MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA.)	
22 23	Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes	("A.R.S.") § 40-360.05(A)(4) and A.A.C.
23 24 25	R14-3-204, W Harquahala, LLC ("W Harquaha to Intervene and Notice of Intent to be a H	ala") hereby submits this Request for Leave
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proceeding before both the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee ("Committee") and the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission"). In the alternative, in the event leave to intervene is denied for any reason, W Harquahala submits this as its statement of limited appearance pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(B).

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5 W Harquahala is a limited liability company formed and organized under the laws 6 of Arizona, with its principal place of business in Maricopa County. Because the 7 Starwood Solar I Project ("Project") that is the subject of this proceeding may 8 significantly impact W Harquahala, W Harquahala requests that the Committee grant its 9 request for intervention and designation as a party.

As stated in the application for a certificate of environmental compatibility on file 10 11 with the Committee, the Project is wholly located within the Harquahala Irrigation Non-Expansion Area ("INA") and the Harquahala Valley Irrigation District ("HVID"). W 12 Harquahala is the largest private landowner in HVID. W Harquahala owns 13 approximately 17,077 acres of land within HVID, comprising more than 50% of HVID's 14 irrigated lands. W Harquahala's land is currently being farmed, using groundwater 15 pursuant to Notices of Irrigation Authority ("NIAs") granted by the Arizona Department 16 of Water Resources. W Harquahala's property includes lands adjacent to and in the 17 vicinity of the proposed Project. 18

19 The use of groundwater for irrigation within the INA is restricted to a limited 20 number of NIA-certificated lands. The use of groundwater for commercial and industrial 21 uses (including the proposed Project) is also restricted. Any proposed commercial or 22 industrial use of water that will exceed 100 acre-feet per year must demonstrate 23 compliance with strict statutory criteria, as provided in A.R.S. §§ 45-440. Under certain 24 conditions, groundwater may also be transported from NIA-certificated lands in the INA 25 for use as a water supply for communities in Central Arizona. *See:* A.R.S. §45-554.

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A broad range of future water needs for agriculture, commercial and industrial use, 1 residential use, and groundwater transportation will need to be accommodated within the 2 finite pool of groundwater resources available in the INA. Recognizing this fact, W 3 Harquahala has undertaken extensive hydrologic studies in the INA, including 4 development of a sophisticated groundwater model, to investigate and define the 5 availability of water for various future uses. Given W Harquahala's substantial 6 landholdings in the INA, and its significant investment in the investigation and 7 development of local groundwater resources, the Project's proposed use of groundwater 8 could have significant impact on W Harquahala's interests. 9

Moreover, as an owner of adjacent lands, W Harquahala will be directly affected by the Project and will experience both potential visual and physical impacts to its property as a result of Project facilities such as the mirror array, thermal storage units, gas burners, and transmission lines. Therefore, W Harquahala respectfully submits this Notice and requests leave to intervene and to be designated a party to these proceedings. In the alternative, W Harquahala submits this notice as it statement of limited appearance. RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED THIS/<u>6</u> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2009

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Pursuant to AAC R14-3-204, this ORIGINAL and 25 copies were filed this <u>//___</u>day of October, 2009, with: 1 2 Docket Control 3 Arizona Corporation Commission 1250 West Washington Street 4 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 5 6 COPIES of the foregoing were mailed this <u>1644</u> day of October, 2009 to: 7 8 John Foreman, Chairman Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee 9 Assistant Attorney General 10 1275 W. Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007 11 Janice Alward, Chief Counsel Arizona Corporation Commission 12 1200 W. Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007 13 Kenneth C. Sundlof, Jr. Jennings, Strauss & Salmon, P.L.C. 14 The Collier Center, 11th Floor 15 201 East Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85004-2385 16 Tim Hogan 17 Arizona Center for Law in the Public Interest 202 East McDowell Road, Suite 153 18 Phoenix, Arizona 85004 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

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PUBLIC COMMENT MAY BE TAKEN AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH HEARING DAY OR AT OTHER TIMES DURING THE HEARING AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE. PUBLIC COMMENT ALSO WILL BE TAKEN IN A SPECIAL EVENING SESSION ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2010, BEGINNING AT 6:00 P.M., AT THE HAMPTON INN AND SUITES KINGMAN, LOCATED AT 1791 SYCAMORE AVENUE, KINGMAN, ARIZONA, 86409.

5 The Committee, at its discretion, may conduct a tour of the Project site. If so, the tour will depart from the Hampton Inn parking lot at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 13, 2010. A map and 6 itinerary for the proposed tour will be available at the hearing and at the Hampton Inn parking lot at the time of commencement of the tour, if conducted. Members of the public may follow the 7 Committee on the tour in their own private vehicles. During the tour the Committee may hear 8 brief testimony at stops on the tour from one or more witnesses concerning where the stops are located, what is visible at the stops, and the relevance of the location and view to the facilities in 9 the Application. No other discussion or deliberation concerning the Application will occur during the tour. A court reporter or recording device will record any testimony taken on the tour for 10 transcription. 11

The Committee may, at its discretion, recess the hearing to a time and place to be announced
 during the hearing, or to be determined after the recess. The date, time and place at which the
 hearing will be resumed will be posted on the Project and ACC websites. NOTE: NOTICE OF
 SUCH RESUMED HEARING WILL BE GIVEN; HOWEVER, PUBLISHED NOTICE OF
 SUCH RESUMED HEARING IS NOT REQUIRED.

- The Project is located in Mohave County, approximately 27 miles north of Kingman, Arizona, and
 80 miles southeast of Las Vegas, Nevada. The 340 megawatt CSP generating facility is located
 entirely on private land in Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, and the north half of Section 31 all
 within Township 26 North, Range 16 West, Gila and Salt River Baseline and Meridian.
- 18 The application seeks approval of two transmission line interconnections:

19 Interconnection #1 Gen-Tie alignment, located entirely in Township 26 North, Range 16 West, runs from the generating facility's power block to the property boundary; then north for 1.25 miles 20 within a 1320-foot wide corridor from the property boundary along the east boundary of Section 17 (private property) and Section 08 (BLM land); then north for 1.25 miles within a 1320-foot 21 wide corridor along the west boundary of Section 16 (BLM land) and Section 09 (private property) until it reaches the north boundary of Section 09; then east for about 0.75 miles within a 22 1320-foot wide corridor along the north boundary of Section 09 (private property) until it reaches the termination in the northeast corner of Section 09 (private property). Interconnection #1 is 23 approximately 2.75 miles in length from the generating facility property boundary and has a total 24 ROW acreage of approximately 70 acres.

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Interconnection #2 Gen-Tie alignment runs from the generating facility's power block to the property boundary; then north for 1.25 miles within a 1320-foot wide corridor from the property boundary along the east boundary of Section 17 (private property) and Section 08 (BLM land);

1 2	then north for 1.25 miles within a 1320-foot wide corridor along the west boundary of Section 16 (BLM land) and Section 09 (private property) until it reaches the north boundary of Section 09; then north for one mile within a 1320-foot wide corridor through Section 04 until it reaches the west boundary of the existing Mead-Liberty 345kV transmission line corridor, which it will parallel on a generally northwest heading; from there it will run within a 2640-foot wide corridor measured from the centerline of the Mead-Liberty 345kV transmission line west of and parallel to the existing transmission line for approximately 3.5 miles, going through the northeast corner of Section 05 in Township 26 North, Range 16 West (BLM land); through Sections 32, 31, and 30 in Township 27 North, Range 16 West (BLM land); through Section 23 (private property) in Township 27 North, Range 17 West; and terminate in Section 23 (private property) in Township 27 North, Range 17 West. Interconnection #2 is approximately 6.5 miles in length from the property boundary and has a total ROW acreage of approximately 160 acres.		
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	As an alternative, the Applicant may build a 500 MW photo-voltaic (PV) generating facility. The Interconnection Gen-Tie alternatives will be the same for the PV project as for the CSP project.		
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10	Maps of the Project site and detailed information about project facilities and technology are		
11	contained in the Application, which is available for inspection at the following locations:		
12	 Docket Control Center of the ACC Phoenix Office at 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108, Phoenix, Arizona 85007; 		
13	 Mohave County Library - Kingman, 3269 N. Burbank Street, Kingman, Arizona 86402; 		
14	928-692-2665; and Leaving and Bases LLP, 40 NL Control Avenue, Swite 1990, Phoenix, Avigana 85004		
15	• Lewis and Roca LLP, 40 N. Central Avenue, Suite 1900, Phoenix, Arizona 85004.		
16	Each county and municipal government and state agency interested in the proposed Project and desiring to be a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten days before the date set for		
17	hearing, file with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, a notice of intent to be a party.		
18	Any domestic non-profit corporation or association formed in whole or in part to promote		
19	conservation of natural beauty, to protect the environment, personal health or other biological values, to preserve historical sites, to promote consumer interests, to represent commercial and industrial groups, or to promote the orderly development of the area in which the Project is to be located and desiring to become a party to the proceedings shall, not less than ten days before the date set for hearing, file with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200		
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22	West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 a notice of intent to be a party.		
23	The Committee or its Chairman, at any time deemed appropriate, may make other persons parties		
24	to the proceeding.		
25	Any person may make a limited appearance at a hearing by filing a statement in writing with Docket Control of the Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix,		
26	Arizona 85007, and the Chairman of the Committee at 1275 West Washington Street, Phoenix,		
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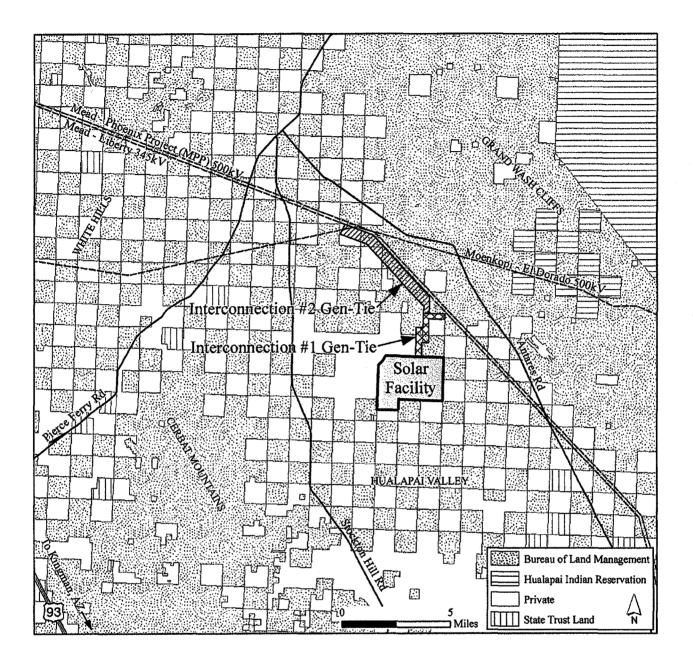
Arizona 85007, not less than five days before the date set for hearing. A person making a limited appearance shall not be a party or have the right to present testimony or cross-examine witnesses.

This proceeding is governed by Arizona Revised Statutes Sections 40-360 to 40-360.13 and Arizona Administrative Code R14-3-201 to R14-3-220. No substantive communication not in the public record may be made to any member of the Committee. The written decision of the Committee will be submitted to the Arizona Corporation Commission pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes Section 40-360.07. Any person intending to be a party to the proceedings on these matters before the Arizona Corporation Commission must be a party to the proceedings before the Committee.

ORDERED this 24th day of November, 2009.

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John Foreman, CHAIRMAN ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL



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From:Tara WilliamsTo:Acken, Albert; Alward, Janice; Bayer, Susan; Bensusan, Denise; Campb...Date:11/25/2009 4:19 PMSubject:Hualapai Valley Solar - Procedural OrderAttachments:Procedural Order.pdf

CC: Haberman, Marjorie; Hetzer, Marta Please see the attached document which was filed today with Commission Docket Control.

Thank you, Tara Williams Assistant Consumer Protection & Advocacy Section Office of the Attorney General Tel: (602) 542-7759 Fax: (602) 542-4377 tara.williams@azag.gov

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17	captioned matter with Docket Control of the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") on November 23, 2009. A copy of the Application was transmitted to John Foreman, designee of the Attorney General of Arizona, Terry Goddard, as Chairman ("Chairman") and Presiding Officer of the Arizona Power Plant and		
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19	Transmission Line Siting Committee ("Line Sitin	g Committee"). A.R.S. §§ 40-360.01(B)	
20	(1) and 40-360.03. As authorized by A.R.S. §§ A.A.C. R14-3-201(E), the Chairman issues the 1		
21	IT IS ORDERED:		
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23	 The Applicant and all other potential parties ("persons" within the meaning of A.R.S. § 40-360(8) who intend to intervene or request to intervene pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(A)) shall advise the Chairman in writing on or before the time of the pre-hearing conference scheduled below if they disagree that the time limit 		
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25	for decision on the Application by the L 360.04(D) is May 24, 2010.	ine Siting Committee set by A.R.S. § 40-	
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2. All "persons" within the meaning of A.R.S. § 40-360(8) who intend to intervene or request to intervene pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(A) that are listed as parties or potential parties on pleadings or procedural orders filed by the Applicant or the Chairman shall notify Docket Control of their desire to receive pleadings and orders in this matter and shall regularly review the Docket Control file in this matter to make sure they have received all pleadings and procedural orders relating to this case. Neither the Line Siting Committee nor the Chairman has the authority to direct Docket Control to send one of the 25 copies of pleadings and procedural orders filed with Docket Control to prospective parties.

- 3. The Applicant shall arrange for the publication and posting of notice of the evidentiary hearing, as agreed to at the pre-application hearing involving the Applicant and all known potential interveners, in a form approved by the Chairman and circulated for approval as to form to all known potential interested parties. In addition, the Applicant shall submit a copy of the notice and present testimony describing the publication and posting of the notice at the evidentiary hearing.
- 4. The Applicant shall make arrangements for the evidentiary hearing to be held at the Hampton Inn & Suites, 1791 Sycamore Avenue, Kingman, AZ 86409, beginning on January 12, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. and continuing, if necessary, on January 13, 2010 and January 14, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. In addition, the Applicant shall make arrangements for a public comment session to be held at the same venue starting at 6:00 p.m. on January 12, 2010. The Applicant shall make arrangements for further regular sessions, if needed, and additional public comment sessions, if needed, on dates and at times to be determined later.

5. The Applicant shall contact the Chief Finance Officer of the Commission and make financial arrangements regarding hotel reservations and other expenses of the Line Siting Committee Members. The Applicant shall also make arrangements with the Commission concerning reimbursement of the Line Siting Fund should the expenses of the hearings exceed the application fee. A.R.S. § 40-360.10. The Applicant shall advise the Chairman of the results of these discussions so the necessary information may be communicated to the Line Siting Committee Members.

- 6. The Applicant and all other potential parties ("persons" within the meaning of A.R.S. § 40-360(8) who intend to intervene or request to intervene pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(A)) shall meet and confer, on or before the beginning of the evidentiary hearing to determine whether any of the intervening parties have similar interests in the application process that will allow them jointly to present testimony on direct or cross-examination of witnesses or jointly to offer exhibits into evidence. The Applicant shall, and any other potential party may, report to the Chairman the results of the attempts of the parties to resolve the issues and to determine if common interests exist that will allow parties to jointly present evidence and argument or to avoid repetition of testimony and argument at the hearing.

7. The parties and any other potential parties ("persons" within the meaning of A.R.S. § 40-360(8) who intend to intervene or request to intervene pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(A)) shall not communicate with any member of the Line Siting Committee about any procedural matters or any factual issues or legal issues relating to the Application while the Application is pending before the Line Siting Committee. The only exception is the parties may communicate with the Chairman, during the time the Application is pending, about procedural matters relating to the preparation of the Application for hearing, the hearing on the Application and the decision on the Application by the Line Siting Committee. Communication of the parties with the Chairman about any procedural matters, during the time an Application is pending, shall be in writing with a copy of the writing to all parties or known potential parties ("persons" within the meaning of A.R.S. § 40-360(8) who have expressed an intention to intervene or request to intervene pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(A)), or shall be on the record at a preapplication hearing, at a procedural hearing or at the hearing on the Application. Any party who initiates any written communication sent to the Chairman shall file, with Docket Control of the Commission, a copy of the communication, including its distribution list, within 10 days of sending the communication.

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- 8. Whenever an agenda is filed pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, all parties shall submit, at least forty-eight hours before the hearing or meeting described in the agenda, any objections, additions or corrections to the agenda, in order to bring the agenda into compliance with A.R.S. § 38-431.02, in writing to the Chairman, serve a copy upon all other parties and file a copy with Docket Control of the Commission.
- 9. In addition, all parties shall meet and confer as needed before, during and after the hearing to attempt to resolve any disputes amongst the parties. The parties also shall keep all other parties advised of their positions and intentions with regard to the presentation of evidence, witnesses and the application process in general to avoid delay, the presentation of repetitive evidence and any unfair advantage from surprise.
- 10. All parties shall prepare brief summaries of the expected direct testimony of each witness they will call. In lieu of a testimonial summary, a party may pre-file and exchange all or substantially all of the direct testimony of any witness. Testimonial summaries and pre-filed testimony should be filed no later than the last pre-hearing conference or three business days before the witness is to testify, whichever is later. Except for good cause, no witness will be allowed to testify on direct examination concerning issues not reasonably identified in the pre-filed testimony or testimonial summary.
 - 11. All parties shall meet, confer and exchange all exhibits the party plans to offer in evidence before the hearing or before they are referred to in testimony or offered in evidence. The Applicant shall, and other parties may, provide one or more
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three ring binders for the Chairman and each member of the Line Siting Committee to hold exhibits at the beginning of the hearing and as needed during the hearing. Each party shall prepare a numbered list of the exhibits and a copy of all exhibits suitable for placement in the binders that have been exchanged with the other parties that each party expects to offer in evidence at the hearing for the Chairman and each Line Siting Committee member. The exhibits shall be provided at the beginning of the hearing and during the hearing before reference to the exhibit is made in the hearing. Except for good cause, no exhibit that was not exchanged with the other parties shall be considered at the hearing. Any exhibit to which reference is made during any hearing that is not offered or admitted into evidence shall be provided to the court reporter at the evidentiary hearing for inclusion in the record unless it is withdrawn, and the Chairman determines its filing is not necessary to an understanding of the actions of the Committee.

- 12. All exhibits shall be consecutively numbered with the Applicant's exhibits denominated: HVS-1, HVS-2, etc. Each intervening party will be assigned by the Chairman a letter or letters of the alphabet as a preface with which to consecutively number its exhibits. For example, the Commission Staff will number its exhibits: CC-1, CC-2, etc.
- 13. The Applicant may make an opening statement at the beginning of the hearing of no more than thirty minutes. Each other party may make an opening statement of no more than five minutes.
- 14. Public comment will be heard after the opening statements and at other times set by the Chairman during the hearing. See ¶ 3, above.
- 15. In the event the Chairman determines that a tour is appropriate, the Applicant shall arrange for transportation of any Committee Members who wish to attend a tour of the locations where facilities proposed in the Application or similar facilities are located. If a tour is held, it will begin at 8:00 a.m. on January 13, 2010. The Applicant shall submit to the Chairman, for approval in advance of the hearing, a schedule and protocol agreed to by all parties for the tour. If all parties do not agree upon the schedule and protocol for the tour, the disagreements shall be submitted to the Chairman for resolution. The protocol shall identify the tour route, identify the location of any stops, and identify any witnesses who will accompany the tour. Counsel may ask brief explanatory questions of the identified witness or witnesses during the stops about the location, what can be seen from the location of the stop and the relevance of the location or view to the Application in the discretion of the Chairman. All witnesses who testify on the tour shall be sworn before their testimony. All questions and answers shall be before a court reporter. No testimony or discussion with or between Committee Members about the Application or matters relating to the Application will take place, except on the record before a court reporter at the designated stops. The protocol shall provide for access to any testimony presented at stops on a tour to members of the public.

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Members of the public who wish to attend the tour shall be encouraged to notify the parties or the appropriate staff of the Arizona Corporation Commission in advance of their intention to attend.

16. Parties may present their witnesses in panels where appropriate. A party that intends to present witnesses in panels shall identify the members of any panel at the time it files its witness summaries.

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- 17. The Applicant shall make arrangements for the preparation of expedited court reporter transcripts of all pre-application hearings, pre-hearing procedural hearings and the evidentiary hearing, so that the transcripts are available for public inspection within three working days after each hearing date, as required by A.R.S. § 38-431.01(D) and § 40-360.04(C). In addition, the Applicant shall file a certification with Commission Docket Control that it has provided a copy of the transcripts to at least two public libraries identified in the certification that are in the vicinity of the Application.
- 18.On or before the final pre-hearing procedural hearing set below, the Applicant shall, and the other parties may, file proposed findings of fact, proposed conclusions of law, the wording of any proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and the wording of any proposed conditions to the Certificate.
- 19. If the beginning of closing arguments and the Line Siting Committee's 14 deliberations are more than one week after the beginning of the hearing, the parties shall meet and confer after the hearing begins and before closing 15 arguments concerning proposed findings of fact, proposed conclusions of law, a 16 proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and the wording of any proposed conditions to the Certificate. If the parties are able to agree upon part or 17 all of the proposed findings of fact, proposed conclusions of law, proposed forms of a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and proposed wording of conditions 18 to the Certificate, all that is agreed upon should be reduced to writing and filed with Commission Docket Control. If the parties are not able to agree completely, the 19 Applicant shall, and all other parties may, file proposed findings of fact, proposed 20 conclusions of law, proposed wording of a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and proposed wording of conditions to the Certificate on the day 21 before the beginning of closing arguments and the Line Siting Committee's deliberations. 22
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 20. If the Applicant or any other party proposes conditions based upon conditions used in prior cases, each proposed condition from a prior case shall contain the case number of the most recent prior Certificate of Environmental Compatibility using the language approved by the Commission.
 - 21.All witness summaries, proposed findings of fact, proposed conclusions of law, proposed Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and proposed conditions of
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Certificates, shall be filed with Commission Docket Control pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-204 and -205. If any documents that are filed are hand delivered during the hearing, eleven copies shall be submitted to the Chairman for distribution to the other Committee Members.

22. Within five business days after the hearing concludes and the Committee renders its decision, the parties shall meet and confer in person or electronically to determine if they can agree upon the final wording of a proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility. If the parties can agree upon the final wording of a proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility, the Applicant shall file forthwith the agreed upon proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility to the Chairman for signature. If the parties are not able to agree upon a proposed form of Certificate of Environmental Compatibility, the Applicant shall file, and the other parties may file, within ten days after the date of the decision of the Committee, those portions of the proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility upon which the parties agree. The Applicant also shall file, and any other party also may file, its understanding of any disputed portions of the proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility. All proposed forms of the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and any objections or proposed revisions shall be filed with Docket Control of the Commission, and a copy shall be hand delivered to the office of the Chairman at 1275 W. Washington, Phoenix, Arizona. Objections or suggestions that are not timely filed shall be considered waived. The copy of the proposed Certificate of Environmental Compatibility filed by the Applicant and any proposed revisions filed by the parties that are served upon the Chairman shall include an electronic file containing the wording of the proposed language in a format compatible with Microsoft© Word word processing program.

23. The Applicant and all other potential parties ("persons" within the meaning of A.R.S. § 40-360(8) who intend to intervene or request to intervene pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-360.05(A)) shall meet with the Chairman for a final pre-hearing conference on January 4, 2010 beginning at 3:00 p.m. at the offices of the Attorney General of Arizona, 1275 W. Washington, Phoenix, Arizona. Parties may appear by telephone with the prior permission of the Chairman. At the final pre-hearing conference, the Chairman will review with the parties:

a. The publication and posting of notices of the hearing;

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- b. The proposed agenda for the evidentiary hearing;
- c. Any notices to intervene, applications to intervene, and applications to make a limited appearance;
- d. The status of attempts to narrow the issues at the evidentiary hearing or to agree to language in the proposed findings of fact, proposed conclusions of law, proposed Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and proposed conditions to the Certificate;
- e. The status of the filing and exchange of witness summaries or written testimony, proposed findings of fact, proposed conclusions of law, proposed

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and proposed conditions to the Certificate; f. The status of the exchange of exhibits amongst the parties; g. Any objections, motions, responses and legal memoranda that have been filed; h. Plans and preparations for the hearing, public comment session, and tour of the proposed site. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, the Chairman may amend or waive any portion of this Procedural Order by subsequent Procedural Order, by ruling at a pre-hearing conference or at a hearing.
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10	DATED this 25 th day of November, 2009.
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14	John/Foreman, Chairman
15	Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee
16	Assistant Attorney General
17	john.toreman@azag.gov
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20	Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-204, The Original and 25 copies were
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1	Copy of the above was mailed this 25 th day of November, 2009 to:
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3	Janice Alward, Chief Counsel
4	Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street
5	Phoenix, AZ 85007 Counsel for Legal Division Staff
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7	Thomas H. Campbell, Esq.
8	Lewis and Roca, LLP Two Renaissance Square
9	40 North Central Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85004
10	Counsel for Applicant, Hualapai Valley Solar
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12	Marta T. Hetzer Arizona Reporting Service, Inc.
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From:Tara WilliamsTo:Acken, Albert; Alward, Janice; Bayer, Susan; Bensusan, Denise; Campb...Date:11/27/2009 11:31 AMSubject:Pre-Hearing Conference

Haberman, Marjorie; Hetzer, Marta

Please note that listed under #23 of the Procedural Order, a pre-hearing conference has been scheduled for **January 4th at 3:00 PM**. It will be held here at the Attorney General's Office, 1275 W Washington in Phoenix.

When you arrive, please inform the front desk that you are attending a meeting with John Foreman, and you will be escorted to the conference room.

Thank you, Tara Williams Assistant Consumer Protection & Advocacy Section Office of the Attorney General Tel: (602) 542-7759 Fax: (602) 542-4377 tara.williams@azag.gov

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From:	Tara Williams
То:	Marjorie Haberman
Date:	12/1/2009 11:24 AM
Subject:	Re: Case 151 Hearing Site Information

Thank you, Marge!

>>> "Haberman, Marjorie" <<u>MHaberman@LRLaw.com</u>> 12/1/2009 10:33 AM >>> Tara,

Here is the information I have on the selection of the Hampton Inn and Suites - Kingman as the hearing site for Case 151, the Hualapai Valley Solar Project. The Hampton Inn is one of the few facilities in the Kingman area that is large enough to hold the Siting Committee and public. In fact it is the only hotel in the Kingman area that has meeting space that is large enough to accommodate the Hearing. The only other facilities in Kingman of sufficient size are the High School Gym and the Community College Cafeteria, both of which are unavailable since school is in session. Therefore, the Hampton Inn provides the only option for the hearing at this time of year. The Hampton Inn quoted us a \$89/night government rate for the Committee's sleeping rooms should they choose to stay at the Hampton Inn. There are other facilities in the city that have lower rates. All of these are a driving distance of several miles from the Hampton Inn. If you would like information on those facilities, please let me know.

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Marjorie J. Haberman Paralegal Lewis and Roca LLP 40 N. Central Avenue, #1900 Phoenix, AZ 85004 phone: 602-262-5351 fax: 602-738-3473 email: <u>MHaberman@LRLaw.com</u> web: www.LewisandRoca.com

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From:"Denise Bensusan@hughes.net" <denisebensusan@hughes.net>To:"Tara Williams" <Tara.Williams@azag.gov>Date:12/1/2009 1:24 PMSubject:Re: #151 Hualapai Solar Agenda

Hi Tara,

In my personal opinion I think that a tour would be invaluable to all parties.

Denise

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Please see the attached document which was filed today with the Corporation Commission.

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3	IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HUALAPAI VALLEY SOLAR LLC, IN	Docket No. L-00000NN-09-0541-00151	
4	CONFORMANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS	Case No. 151	
5	OF ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES §§ 40-360.03 AND 40-360.06, FOR A CERTIFICATE OF	Case No. 151	
6	ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AUTHORIZING CONSTRUCTION OF THE HVS		
7	PROJECT, A 340 MW PARABOLIC TROUGH CONCENTRATING SOLAR THERMAL	AGENDA	
8	GENERATING FACILITY AND AN ASSOCIATED GEN-TIE LINE INTERCONNECTING THE		
8 9	GENERATING FACILITY TO THE EXISTING		
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10	LINE OR THE MOENKOPI-EL DORADO 500kV TRANSMISSION LINE.		
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13	Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is he		
14	public, the parties and the Arizona Power Plant ("Committee") that the Committee will hold a me	eting/hearing on the above application that is	
15	open to the public at the Hampton Inn & Suites I Arizona 86409; telephone number: (928) 692-02	200. (Federal contracted hotel per diem rate is	
16	\$89.00 per night.) The hearing will begin on Tuesday, January 12, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. It will continue on Wednesday, January 13, 2010, at 8:00 a.m., if a tour is taken, otherwise it will		
17	begin at 9:30 a.m. If the hearing has not conclud 2010, at 9:30 a.m. The hearing will adjourn at a	ted, it will continue on Thursday, January 14,	
18	comment will be taken during the hearing at time	es designated by the Chairman. Public	
19	comment also will be taken in a special evening the same location. Additional days for the hearing	ng may be set, or the hearing may conclude	
20	earlier than anticipated, depending upon the nui testimony presented, the amount of public comr	nber of parties that intervene, the amount of nent, and the time needed for deliberations by	
21	the Committee. As a part of the public meeting/l discuss the potential value of a tour, and, at the	nearing, members of the Committee will	
22	may tour the proposed power plant location and January 13, 2010, beginning at 8:00 a.m. At the	transmission line route for the project on	
23	consider, discuss, deliberate and/or vote on the	matters on the Agenda. Items on the Agenda	
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25	1. Call to Order;		
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1	4. Hearing on the application;
2	5. Public Comment;
3	6. Discussion of potential value of a tour of the proposed route;
4	7. If it is decided a tour would be valuable, the Committee will travel along the route,
5	following an itinerary which will be available at the hearing. A detailed description of the tour route and itinerary, including a map, will be on file at the Arizona Corporation Commission. Members of the public may follow the Committee's tour by use of their
6	own private vehicles. No testimony or discussion with or between Committee
7	Members about the Application or matters relating to the Application will take place, except on the record before a court reporter at the designated stops. The Chairman of
8	the Committee will make any procedural decisions concerning stops at different points of interest;
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10	Environmental Compatibility and conditions to the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility;
11	9. Vote and decision concerning Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, the Certificate of
12	Environmental Compatibility and conditions to the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility; and,
13	10. Adjournment.
14	Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a
15	sign language interpreter, by contacting Shaylin Bernal, voice phone number: (602) 542-3931, e-mail: <u>sabernal@azcc.gov</u> . Requests should be made as early as possible
16	to arrange the accommodation. All materials relating to the hearing, including any tour, may be found at the Docket Control of the Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 W.
17	Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007, first floor.
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19	DATED this 1 st day of December, 2009.
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21	John/Foreman, Chairman
22	Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee
23	Assistant Attorney General john.foreman@azag.gov
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Date:	12/1/2009 1:47 PM
Subject:	Re: #151 Hualapai Solar Agenda

Dear Ms. Williams:

I hope you had a wonderful holiday. I wish to thank you for this Email and also keeping me informed. It has been most helpful.

Susan Bayer

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То:	"Tara Williams" <tara.williams@azag.gov></tara.williams@azag.gov>
Date:	12/4/2009 1:11 PM
Subject:	Re: Correct address?

THANKS

----- Original Message -----From: "Tara Williams" <Tara.Williams@azag.gov> To: "Denise Bensusan@hughes.net" <denisebensusan@hughes.net> Sent: Friday, December 04, 2009 11:49 AM Subject: Re: Correct address?

Hello Ms. Bensusan,

The street address is correct. As for the public comment/opinions, I believe they are filed the same way, but you should contact Docket Control about how to file those just to be certain. Their phone number is (602) 542-3477.

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>>> "Denise Bensusan@hughes.net" <denisebensusan@hughes.net> 12/4/2009 11:35
>>> AM >>>
Hi Tara,

I hope all is well with you today. I want to be sure I send my intervention paperwork to the correct address. Also we have been inundated with citizens wanting to send their opinions in writing to the ACC. We of course have supplied them with the correct docket no. BUT, do they send their opinions to the same address as below? Do they need to send 25 copies of their opinions?

Docket Control Center of the ACC Phoenix Office 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108 Phoenix AZ 85007

THANKS Denise Denise Denise Bensusan

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