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Joint Legislative Budget Committee 1020 N Street, Room 553 Sacramento, CA 95814

Re. Easley Renewable Energy Environmental Leadership Development Project Certification

Dear Members of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee:

Governor Newsom has determined that the Easley Renewable Energy Project in Riverside County is eligible for streamlined judicial review under Public Resources Code Section 21178 et seq. Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21184, I am forwarding the Governor's determination to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee. If the Joint Legislative Budget Committee fails to concur or nonconcur on a determination by the Governor within 30 days of the submittal, the leadership project is deemed to be certified.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me or my staff.

Sincerely,

Sam Assefa

Director, Governor's Office of Planning and Research