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**NOTICE OF NO AWARD (NONA)**

**Roles, Impacts, and Integration Needs of Natural Gas Generation in California's  
Renewable Future  
PON-14-506  
April 7, 2015**

On January 23, 2015, the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) released a competitive solicitation to fund investigative work into the roles, impacts, and integration needs of natural gas in California's future electricity grid. Up to \$500,000 in Natural Gas Research Program funding was available to fund applications in Natural Gas and Renewable Energy Dynamics, Integration, and Optimization – at Local and Regional Scales.

The Energy Commission received two proposals by the due date of March 10, 2015. Each proposal was screened, reviewed, evaluated and scored using the criteria in the solicitation. None of the proposals passed the Stage Two Application Scoring.

The attached "Notice of No Award" identifies each applicant who applied. This notice is being mailed to all parties who submitted an application to this solicitation and is also posted on the Energy Commission's website at: [www.energy.ca.gov/contracts/](http://www.energy.ca.gov/contracts/).

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**California Energy Commission  
PON-14-506**

**Roles, Impacts, and Integration Needs of Natural Gas Generation in California's Renewable Future**

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April 3, 2015

Rank Number	Project Applicant	Title	Energy Commission Funds Requested	Energy Commission Funds Recommended	Match Funds	Score	Award Status
<b>Did Not Pass</b>							
1	SYNAPSE Energy Economics, Inc.	Roles, Impacts, and Integration Needs of Natural Gas Generation in California's Renewable Future	\$494,170	\$0	\$0		Did Not Pass
2	Advanced Power and Energy Program - UC Irvine	Infrastructure and Hydraulic Simulation of the Impact of Increasing Renewable Penetration on California's Natural Gas Network	\$499,684	\$0	\$130,000		Did Not Pass
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$993,854</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$130,000</b>		
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>\$993,854</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$130,000</b>		