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REPORT OF CONVERSATION

Siting, Transmission, and Environmental Protection Division

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☒ **Email**		☐ **Meeting Location:**	
NAME:	Candace Hill, Staff	**DATE:** 08/08/12	**TIME:** 12:41
WITH:	Mike Meacher, VP, COO of Front Site		
SUBJECT:	Specifics on operational aspects of Front Site facility, east of proposed HHSEGS project		

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From: Mike Meacher [mailto:meacher@frontsight.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 08, 2012 12:41 PM
To: Hill, Candace@Energy
Subject: RE: Front Sight Firearms Training Institute /Old Spanish Trail Highway

Candace,

Your summary is accurate. Let me know if we can be of further assistance.

Best Regards,

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Hello Mike-

The California Energy Commission is reviewing the Hidden Hills Solar Electric Generating System Project http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/hiddenhills/ located in Inyo County, California. Although the project is located in California a significant portion of the traffic would be utilizing roadways in Nevada, specifically, the Old Spanish Trail Highway that your students also utilize.

Thank you for time to discuss the Front Sight Firearms Training Institute yesterday. I just want to confirm the operational information in order that we may incorporate the information into the Final Staff Assessment. Specifically:

- The Front Sight Firearms Training Institute trains approximately 30,000 students a year in a 10 month year- the Facility is closed July and August.
- The Front Sight Firearms Training Institute is open seven days a week - Classes offered are a 2 day or 4 day class – with hours starting at 6:30am or 8:00am and ending at 5pm or 6pm.
- The distance from SR 160 to Front Sight's private road along Old Spanish Trail Highway is approximately 3.5 miles; Front Sight's private road is approximately four miles.
- Approximately 98% of the students use SR 160 and 2% use SR 127; not every car is a single car occupant as students also carpool/attend with friends or family.
- Food service is provided on site which minimizes vehicle trips off-site during the day.
- The road was constructed in 2000 and to date has not been impassable due to rainstorms.

Did I capture the correct information? I very much appreciate your insight-

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