August 7, 2009

To: Commissioner Jeffrey D. Byron, Presiding Member
From: Richard Knox, Project Manager
Subject: SES Solar Two, LLC (08-AFC-5) Project Status Report #4

Dear Commissioner Byron,

Pursuant to the Committee Scheduling Order dated December 3, 2008, the following is the Stirling Energy Systems, Inc. (SES) Status Report #4 for the proposed SES Solar Two, LLC project.

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) staff, on June 18, 2009, submitted Data Requests Set 2, Part 2 (#142-155) to SES.

Data Requests #142-150 required additional fieldwork to provide further information concerning the cultural resources inventoried within the project area. On July 6, 2009, SES submitted formal letter to request additional time to complete our responses. Given the project size and current summer conditions, necessary fieldwork and other associated tasks will require additional time. SES is working with their consultants and Agency staff to provide the cultural inventory necessary for staff assessments for their determination.

Responses to Data Requests #151 – 155 for the technical area of Public Health and Safety was submitted on July 7, 2009. All other Data Responses for the Data Requests submitted by the Energy Commission, BLM and Intervenors have been submitted.

We would like to thank both the California Energy Commission and the Bureau of Land Management for being both responsive and patient with the Applicant as we continue towards our final submittals.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kimberly S. Whitney (on behalf of Richard Knox, Project Manager)
Associate Project Manager
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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Kimberly S Whitney, declare that August 7, 2009 I served and filed copies of the attached SES Solar Two, LLC Status Report #4. The original document, filed with the Docket Unit, is accompanied by a copy of the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at: [www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/solartwo]. The document has been sent to both the other parties in this proceeding (as shown on the Proof of Service list) and to the Commission’s Docket Unit, in the following manner:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

[Signature]
Kimberly S. Whitney

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION
For the SES SOLAR TWO PROJECT

Docket No. 08-AFC-5
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