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Oscar Biondi
State Water Resources Control Board
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Re: Notice of Proposed Dismissal of Petitions for Reconsideration of the Water Quality Certification for Eagle Mountain Pumped Storage Project, FERC Project No. 13123

Dear Mr. Biondi:

In response to the State Water Resources Control Board's ("State Board") May 26, 2016 Notice of Proposed Dismissal of Petitions for Reconsideration of the Water Quality Certification for Eagle Mountain Pumped Storage Project, FERC Project No. 13123, Eagle Crest Energy Company does not object to the State Board dismissing as moot the pending petitions for reconsideration of the Clean Water Act Section 401 water quality certification. We are basing our lack of objection on the understanding that the State Board is taking no further action at this time, other than the dismissal of the pending petitions for reconsideration. In the future, should the State Board propose to take any other action related to the Eagle Mountain Pumped Storage Project, we reserve the right to comment before any such action.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (310) 450-9090 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Stephen Lowe, President Eagle Crest Energy Company