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Subject: Electric Distribution Facilities Audit of Modesto Irrigation District

Mr. Tse,

Thank you for the letter and report of findings regarding the CIP audit and field inspections of the Modesto Irrigation District (MID) electric distribution facilities by the Electric Safety and Reliability Branch (ESRB) staff. MID voluntarily uses California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) General Orders as a guidance for MID's construction, inspection, and maintenance programs.

MID works diligently at closing work orders by their assigned due dates and any late pending work orders are given priority. Late pending work orders that were placed on hold in error have been reissued so that the correct issues can be resolved. All General Order (GO) 95, Rule 18-B issues identified during CIP audit will be corrected.

MID is exploring a process to send and receive third party safety hazard notifications. All GO 95, Rule 18-A issues identified during the field inspections will be communicated to the proper third party.

Issues identified during field inspections, relating to the following GO 95 Rules will be corrected:

- Rule 31.1
- Rule 31.6
- Rule 91.3C
- Rule 38
- Rule 51.6
- Rule 84.6.B
- Rule 86.9

Issues identified during field inspections, relating to the following GO 128 Rules will be corrected:

- Rule 17.1
- Rule 42.7
- Rule 35.1
- Rule 17.8

It is the top priority of MID to provide safe and reliable electric service to its customers. MID appreciates the collaboration with the CPUC in review of its grid in comparison to CPUC General Orders. We thank the CPUC ESRB staff for their time and efforts.

Sincerely,

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