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Subject: Re: Draft EA for Irigaray/Christensen Ranch

Jean -- Thank you very much for the copy of the draft EA for this project restart. Yes, Tom Bills had gotten me the paper copy he had received, and I had both misplaced it AND forgotten that he had given it to me! Aargh! As we are working on our RMP fairly hot & heavy, a lot of other things have been placed on the back burner, but will work on getting comments to you by July 27 (2 weeks from today) -- I appreciate your allowing me a bit of extra time for that. I also received your phone message, and want to thank you for getting back with me about this project so quickly. The paper copy was the only notice I'd received that this project is restarting! I've gotten ahold of Uranium One to make certain they understand that as long as some BLM surface is included in their project boundaries, they will also have to abide by BLM's NEPA adequacy needs for continuing/restarting operations. I haven't had a chance to look through our casefile for this project yet, but will do so as soon as I can -- so I am unsure at this moment if the current NEPA document on file with us is adequate or not, and thus am also unsure if an updated document will need to be prepared for our needs. I have made sure to relay this to Uranium One, and will keep them apprised.

Thank you again.

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Kerry,

Attached please find a copy of the draft EA. I want to emphasize that this is a non-public draft document that should not be shared.

I am sorry that you are only just hearing about the work at Irigaray/Christensen Ranch. We sent Tom Bills, BLM, a copy of the draft on June 25, 2010. At that time we allowed 30 days for review of the document. It would be possible to give you two weeks from today to review the EA. The EA is not an overly large document so hopefully you will have sufficient time to review.

If you could provide your comments to me either electronically at this email address or in hard copy at MST8F5 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

If you have further questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

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