

**TO THE COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF LOS ANGELES**

Your ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT Committee

reports as follows:

GENERAL EXEMPTION, ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to proposed Agreement No. BP 12-019 with Kern River Gas Transmission Company for the Restatement of Firm Transportation Services.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. FIND that this action is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the General Exemption as described in Section No. 15061(b)(3) of the Los Angeles City CEQA Guidelines.
2. CONCUR with the Board of Water and Power Commissioners' action of March 5, 2013, approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney, Resolution No. 013-193, authorizing the execution of Agreement No. BP 12-019 between the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) and Kern River Gas Transmission Company for the Restatement of Firm Transportation Services.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer reports that approval of this request restates an existing contractual agreement and does not increase the current financial obligation of the LADWP. This Agreement is consistent with the Department's Financial Policies which are not applicable.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

TIME LIMIT FILE – MAY 14, 2013

(LAST DAY FOR COUNCIL ACTION – MAY 14, 2013)

SUMMARY

On April 3, 2013, the Energy and Environment Committee considered a March 12, 2013 Board of Water and Power Commissioners report, and Resolution No. 013193, and City Administrative Officer report relative to proposed Agreement No. BP 12-019 with Kern River Gas Transmission Company for the Restatement of Firm Transportation Services. After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council concur with the recommendations as reflected above. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
HUIZAR:	YES
ZINE:	YES
LABONGE:	YES
ALARCÓN:	ABSENT
KORETZ:	YES