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Hello Mr. David Sholes,

We at MT-Energie USA, Inc. are very much in support of this proposed modification to the General Order which, if passed, will allow Co-Digestion within the Central Valley on existing facilities. This modification in our opinion will allow the state of California to produce more renewable energy without negatively impacting our environment. In addition, it will pave the way to allow future projects to be permitted with a CUP if the projects are not on a General Order dairy.

The proposed modification could also lead to more anaerobic digesters being built in California. The net impact of this may also lead to more jobs in California, additional construction dollars being spent, and an overall increase in the tax base.

Please do not hesitate to contact our firm with any questions or comments you may have.

Best regards,
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