## **EXHIBIT 1.1**

## CHRISTINE BRINKER STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

I have worked at the Southwest Energy Efficiency Project from 2004-2006 and from 2008 to the present. I am a Senior Associate in the Industrial Efficiency and CHP Program. Since 2004 I have specialized at SWEEP in analyzing and encouraging the adoption of clean, cost-effective, and well-designed CHP systems in the states of Utah, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, and Wyoming. I am currently serving as the Director of the U.S. Department of Energy Southwest CHP Technical Assistance Partnership under a competitively-awarded grant to SWEEP from the U.S. Department of Energy. In this role, I help provide technical assistance to energy-intensive industries, commercial businesses, institutions, and local communities in the evaluation and implementation of new CHP projects, as well as providing CHP communications, outreach, and policy analysis.

From 2006-2008, I was on sabbatical working for the Government of Niger's *Cellule Pour la Généralisation et Pérennisation de l'Éducation Environnementale*, as Program Lead for the Globe Program, an international environmental science curriculum coordinated by NASA, NOAA, and NSF.

Prior to joining SWEEP I was a Senior Research Associate at E SOURCE in its Distributed Energy Service, where I advised North American and international electric utilities, gas utilities, equipment manufacturers, government labs, and large end users on distributed generation strategies, market trends, technologies, applications, economics, environmental performance,

regulations, and business risks, through in-depth research reports, newsletters, workshops, and direct contact. I worked at E SOURCE from 1999-2004.

I have a B.A. in Economics and Environmental Studies, Summa Cum Laude with Distinction, from the University of Colorado Boulder, and am certified by the Association of Energy Engineers as a Distributed Generation Certified Professional.