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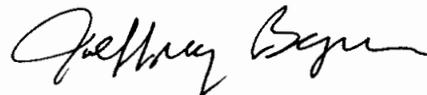
Mr. Eric Pendergraft, Plant Manager
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Other Interested Parties

Dear Messrs. O'Brien and Pendergraft:

After consideration of the recent proposals from AES concerning appropriate mitigation for the Huntington Beach project and the rest of the record in this case, I am writing to request that the parties in this proceeding discuss at today's staff workshop, and be prepared to comment at the California Energy Commission's Wednesday, September 27, 2006, Business Meeting on a mitigation package that would be based on the actual operating history for the first five years of the project, and the full permitted level of operation for the five year extension of the license that is under consideration.

Sincerely,



JEFFREY D. BYRON, Commissioner
Associate Member of the Siting Committee

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