CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
1516 NINTH STREET
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814-5512

March 13, 2006

DOCKET
06-AFC-1
DATE MAR 13 2006
RECD. MAR 13 2006

Mr. Bruce V. Malkenhorst, Jr.
Assistant City Attorney
City of Vernon
4305 Santa Fe Avenue
Vernon, CA 90058

RE: **Paleontological Sensitivity Map: Application for Confidentiality Vernon Power Plant, Docket 06-AFC-1**

Mr. Malkenhorst:

On February 27, 2006, as part of the Vernon Power Plant project (06-AFC-1), the City of Vernon filed an application for confidentiality with the California Energy Commission seeking confidentiality for a Paleontological Sensitivity Map (Figure 8.16.2).

A properly filed application for confidentiality requires the following certification be contained within the application:

> "I certify under penalty of perjury that the information contained in this application for confidential designation is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge," and . . . 3. State that the person preparing the request is authorized to make the application and certification on behalf of the entity, organization or association.

Your application fails to meet this requirement. Consequently, the California Energy Commission cannot evaluate your application for confidentiality until a re-submitted application is received containing the appropriate penalty of perjury certification. Please re-submit your application to the California Energy Commission, Attention: Executive Director. If you or your staff have any further questions concerning this issue, please contact me at (916) 654-4873.

Sincerely,

FERNANDO DE LEON
Senior Staff Counsel

Docket Unit