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CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION  
Attn: Docket No. 06-AFC-4  
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Sacramento, California 95814-5512

<b>DOCKET</b>	
<b>06-AFC-4</b>	
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Re: Vernon Power Plant Project: Docket No. 06-AFC-4

Dear Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 1209, 1209.5, and 1210, enclosed herewith for filing please find a copy of a letter from the Bell Gardens Association of Merchants and Commerce, dated March 29, 2007.

Please note that the enclosed submittal was filed today via electronic mail to your attention and to all parties on the CEC's current electronic proof of service list.

Very truly yours,



Paul E. Kihm  
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Enclosure

cc: CEC 06-AFC-4 Proof of Service List (w/ encl.)  
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March 29, 2007

To: The California Energy Commission

RE: Vernon Power Plant Proposal

Dear Sirs,

I am writing this letter on behalf of the Bell Gardens Association of Merchants and Commerce to express our support for the Vernon Power Plant proposal. Energy demands are growing every year and projects such as this one will help the region to overcome power outages and keep the lights on in our community.

We understand that this new facility will attract high-wage jobs and environmentally clean businesses to the region that depend upon reliable and plentiful power supplies.

Our chamber is proud to support this project not only for the energy demands but also for better air quality. We know that newer, more efficient power plants emit fewer pollutants than older plants and our air quality cannot improve unless we replace or reduce the use of this older technology.

With newer technologies we will have less adverse effects on the environment and improve the quality of life in our community. The Bell Gardens Association of Merchants and Commerce look forward to working with the City of Vernon on this important project.

In closing, we strongly urge the Approval of this Proposal.

Sincerely,

**Dennis R. Grizzle**  
**Executive Director**  
**Bell Gardens Association of Merchants & Commerce**

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
ENERGY RESOURCES  
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In the Matter of:	)	Docket No. 06-AFC-4
	)	
Application for Certification,	)	<b>ELECTRONIC PROOF OF SERVICE</b>
for the VERNON POWER PLANT PROJECT	)	<b>LIST</b>
by the City of Vernon	)	
	)	(Revised March 16, 2007]
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**DECLARATION OF SERVICE**

I, Paul Kihm, declare that on April 12, 2007, I deposited the required original signed copy of the attached:

**LETTER FROM BELL GARDENS ASSOCIATION OF MERCHANTS AND COMMERCE,  
DATED MARCH 29, 2007**

with FedEx overnight mail delivery service at Costa Mesa, California with delivery fees thereon fully prepaid and addressed to the California Energy Commission. I further declare that transmission via electronic mail was consistent with the requirements of California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 1209, 1209.5, and 1210. All electronic copies were sent to all those identified on the Proof of Service List above.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on April 12, 2007, at Costa Mesa, California.

  
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Paul Kihm