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August 1, 2008

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SUBJECT: SAN ONOFRE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION UNITS 2, AND 3 –
SITE-SPECIFIC IMPLEMENTATION OF B.5.B PHASE 2 AND 3 MITIGATING
STRATEGIES TEMPORARY INSTRUCTION INSPECTION (NRC INSPECTION
REPORT 05000361/2008007 AND 05000362/2008007)

Dear Mr. Ridenoure:

In a telephone conversation on July 25, 2008, Messrs. Clay Williams, Manager, Compliance, and Clyde Osterholtz, Team Leader, made arrangements for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) to inspect the site-specific implementation of B.5.b Phase 2 and 3 mitigating strategies at the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 2, and 3. The inspection is planned for the week of August 18, 2008.

In order for the NRC to adequately prepare for this inspection, please furnish the documents listed in Enclosure 1 to Mr. Osterholtz in electronic format no later than August 12, 2008. Please have available on site at the beginning of the inspection the arrangements and documents listed in Enclosure 2. Mr. Williams has been advised of this request and provided with the name and address of the NRC lead inspector.

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions regarding this inspection, please contact Clyde Osterholtz at 949-492-2641, or me at 817 860-8159.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Ryan E. Lantz, Chief
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Enclosures:

1. Documentation Requested
Prior to the Inspection
2. Arrangements/Documents Requested
To Be Available On Site during the
Inspection Week

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