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United States Nuclear Regulatory  
Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Re: In the Matter of Pacific Gas and Electric Company  
(Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and  
2), Nos. 50-2750L, 50-3730L

Dear Chairman Palladino and Members of the Commission:

On behalf of the Joint Intervenors to the above-entitled proceeding, I would like to renew our request that the Commission's vote on Pacific Gas and Electric Company's application for reinstatement of the suspended Diablo Canyon low power operating license be held in San Luis Obispo, California. As indicated previously, the purpose of this request is to permit the persons most affected by your licensing decision to hear the recommendations by your Staff and to observe your deliberations and vote.

Granting of this request would be an important step in restoring public confidence in this Commission and in the safety of Diablo Canyon by increasing public awareness of and participation in the Commission's decisionmaking process. Given the number of still unresolved questions about the design and construction of the plant, the Commission's willingness to

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appear before the persons to whom it is ultimately responsible might help to dispel the continuing impression that Diablo Canyon will be licensed prematurely, in disregard of widespread public concern about its safety and PGandE's competence to operate it.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Diablo Canyon Service List