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Subject: **Docket Nos. 50-361 and 50-362**
Response to Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) 2008-16
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3

Reference: RIS 2008-16, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing
Examinations," dated June 27, 2008

Gentlemen:

This letter provides the Southern California Edison (SCE) response to U. S. Nuclear
Regulatory Commission Regulatory Issue Summary 2008-16, "Preparation and Scheduling
of Operator Licensing Examinations," dated June 27, 2008.

The schedule shown on NRC Form 536, "Operator Licensing Examination Data," is
enclosed and provides SCE's best estimate to meet our operator licensing needs through
calendar year 2012.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or Mr. Clay E. Williams at (949)
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Sincerely,



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Enclosure: As Stated

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**OPERATOR LICENSING
EXAMINATION DATA**

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SAN ONOFRE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 2 AND 3

NRC REGION

REGION IV

A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2009	CY 2010	CY 2011	CY 2012
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	1	1	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS				

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2009	CY 2010	CY 2011	CY 2012
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	12	12	12	12
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	6	6	9	6
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	3	3	3	6
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	10/5/09	10/4/10	10/3/11	10/1/12
ALTERNATE DATE	10/19/09	10/18/10	10/17/11	10/15/12

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	CY 2009				CY 2010			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES			21				21	