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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Docket No. 50-312
Rancho Seco Nuclear Generating Station
License No. DPR-54

Docket No. 72-11
Rancho Seco Spent Fuel Storage Installation
License No. SNM-2510

**RESPONSE TO NRC REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON
DECOMMISSIONING FUNDING STATUS**

Attention: John Hickman
Attention: William Allen

The Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD) is providing the information in this correspondence in response to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) request for additional information (RAI) as received in correspondence dated December 16, 2013. A summary of each RAI is included below, along with SMUD's response.

RAI # 1 Decommissioning Costs

NRC Request: Provide the difference between actual and estimated costs for decommissioning work performed during the previous year.

SMUD Response: SMUD's remaining facilities licensed under 10 CFR 50 are currently in a mode similar to SAFSTOR, in which the facilities are being safely maintained but no active decommissioning work is taking place. The estimated and actual costs for 2012 maintenance activities are provided below.

Estimated Cost of Decommissioning Activities for 2012:	\$150,000
Actual Cost of Decommissioning Activities for 2012:	\$82,950
Difference in Actual vs. Estimated Costs for 2012:	(\$67,050)

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RAI # 2 Managing Irradiated Fuel

NRC Request: Provide the total amount of dollars accumulated at the end of the appropriate year designated for managing irradiated fuel.

SMUD Response: On December 6, 2012, the SMUD Board of Directors approved annual funding in the amount of \$4,699,627 for management of irradiated fuel for 2013. SMUD approved these funds through the annual budgeting process. Therefore, at the end of 2012 SMUD had committed and accumulated \$4,699,627 for the management of irradiated fuel for 2013.

If you or members of your staff have questions or require additional information, please contact Einar Ronningen by email at einar.ronningen@smud.org or by phone at (916) 732-4817.

Sincerely,



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