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Notice of Receipt and Availability of Application for Renewal of Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant License

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Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Units 1 and 2; Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement

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To: United States Regulatory Commission (NRC)

From: Mike Kirkwood, Board President  
Economic Alliance of Northern Santa Barbara County

RE: Docket ID NRC-2009-0552  
(PG&E Diablo Canyon License Renewal/Environmental Impact Statement)

The Economic Alliance of Northern Santa Barbara County is a nonprofit organization focused on the industries and activities driving northern Santa Barbara County economic vitality and quality of life.

The industries driving economic prosperity in northern Santa Barbara County include agriculture, wine and tourism, oil and gas, manufacturing and small business. All of these depend upon a reliable, affordable source of electricity, as do our residents.

It is imperative that the Environmental Impact Statement for the PG&E Diablo Canyon license renewal include the following:

- Inclusion of the fact that there zero carbon (Greenhouse Gas) emissions generated by PG&E's Diablo Canyon power generation, helping California to meet its Greenhouse Gas reduction goals under the Global Warming Solutions Act – AB 32
- Inclusion of the environmental impacts and Greenhous Gas (GHG) impacts of generating 20% of PG&E power through conventional means, if Diablo Canyon were not producing 20% of the company power – estimated impacts of conventional means being 6-7 million tons/year of carbon emissions
- Mention of the \$1B added to the California economy by Diablo Canyon
- Mention of Diablo Canyon's safety record, with its safety recognition from the Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO)
- Mention that nuclear energy produces large amounts of clean energy 24/7 and is the only energy source to do so
- Mention of the 1992 PG&E Diablo Canyon Land Stewardship Program (DCLS) recognition by the President's Council of Environmental Quality as a national example of corporate land stewardship
- Mention of PG&E's 1995 prestigious "Corporate Conservation Award" from the Ecological Society of America

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