

## Region III TIA Withdrawal

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**Importance:** High

Lady and Gentlemen:

There is a time for all good things and I think the Service Life Task Interface Agreement's (TIA's) time has come.

Given our assessment of the issue; the current ongoing efforts to document the Agency's position with regard to Service Life in a Regulatory Information Summary (RIS) for the industry as a whole; the duplicative nature of the TIA, though limited in scope to three licensees, relative to the RIS; and our ability to address the same issues for the three Region III plants using our other regulatory tools; I would like to request NRR's support to withdrawal the TIA at this time.

I understand that our withdrawal of the TIA does not indicate a change in support or agency perspective for the broad position articulated in the TIA or the current draft RIS but is instead a realization and agreement of a need to focus our limited efforts to the most pressing issues at hand consistent with our overarching safety focus.

Please accept Region III's sincere appreciation for all the support, discussion, and efforts of your staff and the NRR management team's committed to this issue.

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