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Subject: [External_Sender] Re: NRC"s draft environmental assessment for the North Butte flow rate adjustment

Date: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 10:57:31 AM

Hello Doug,

LQD District 3 received a hard copy of the draft environmental assessment for the North Butte flow rate adjustment on September 30, 2016. District 3 has reviewed the environmental assessment and has no comments.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on the document.

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On Mon, Sep 26, 2016 at 8:12 AM, Mandeville, Douglas < <u>Douglas.Mandeville@nrc.gov</u>> wrote:

Luke -

I'm following up on the message I sent you on Friday. Our draft EA for the North Butte flow rate increase was signed out today and a hard copy is on its way. As I mentioned before, our process includes providing a copy of an EA to the State so that you have a chance to comment on the document, if you choose to do so. To facilitate your review, I've attached an electronic copy of the EA. If you have any comments, they can be provided by letter, email, or by phone.

Robin -

Although this is an action for North Butte, I've included you on this as well as Cameco sends the North Butte resin to Smith Ranch for the remaining steps in processing. This won't change any aspect of the operation at Smith Ranch. The only item that will change is the frequency of resin shipments from North Butte to Smith Ranch.

Thanks in advance for your help.

Doug

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