



**CITY OF LONG BEACH**  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION AND MARINE

12/14/10 Adoption Hearing  
Once Through Cooling  
Deadline: 11/19/10 by 12 noon

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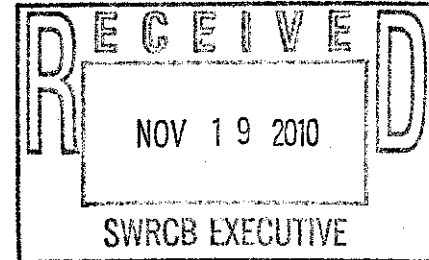
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November 19, 2010

Ms. Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board  
State Water Resources Control Board  
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Sacramento, Ca 95814

VIA E-Mail: [commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov)



Dear Ms. Townsend:

Subject: Proposed Amendment to the Statewide Policy on the Use of Coastal  
and Estuarine Waters for Power Plant Cooling (Policy)

The City of Long Beach, Marine Bureau, is pleased to submit this letter in support  
of the proposed amendment to the OTC Policy released by the State Water  
Resources Control Board (SWRCB) on September 29, 2010.

The City of Long Beach, Marine Bureau, supports the Amendment as written  
because it will meet the goals of the Policy and will be protective of the health of  
source waters.

We are very concerned about some of the consequences of the Policy:  
specifically the impact on source waters where the use of OTC has provided  
circulation and supported a healthy marine environment. However, the  
Amendment will allow for a phased approach to minimize any deleterious  
impacts to source waters.

The City of Long Beach, Marine Bureau, urges you to adopt the amendment to  
the Policy which represents a balanced approach to environmental protection.

Sincerely,

Mark A. Sandoval  
Manager of Marinas and Beaches

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