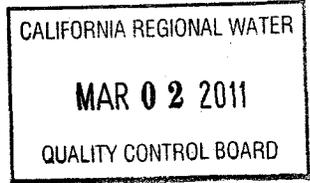




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Mr. Bruce Wolfe
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San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality
Control Board
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400
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Attn: Dr. Derek Whitworth

Re: Request to Terminate NPDES Permit No. CA0005657 (Order No. R2-2006-0032)

Dear Mr. Wolfe:

GenOn Potrero, LLC, (formerly known as Mirant Potrero, LLC) requests the termination of the above-referenced permit for the Potrero Generating Station, which permanently ceased operations on February 28, 2011. The permit regulates the once-through cooling operations and wastewater discharges associated with the operation of Potrero Unit 3. Potrero Unit 3 has not operated, and no water intake or wastewater discharges have occurred, since November 23, 2010, but the unit had been available on a standby basis through February 28, 2011. With the shutdown, all water intake and wastewater discharges covered by the permit have permanently ceased, and we request a termination of the permit as soon as practicable.

Note that stormwater discharges at the facility are authorized under the Statewide General Industrial Permit, and GenOn Potrero will continue to comply with the General Permit with respect to those discharges.

Please call Peter Landreth with any questions at (925) 427-3567.

Sincerely,

John Chillemi
President