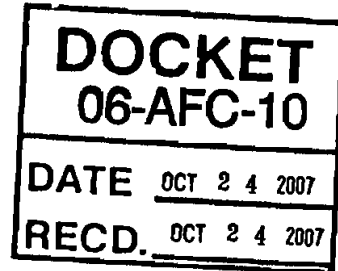


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>>> "Rich Weiss" <richweiss@att.net> 10/24/2007 1:00 PM >>>
 Che, the backwash filter water will be an underground pipe that enters the Midway site in the SW corner adjacent to the CalPeak boundary. That is the same location, shown on the site plan, where the CalPeak water supply enters the Midway site, along the SW fence line. The Midway on-site water piping and site layout will remain exactly the same as currently shown in the AFC when we use the backwash filter water supply.

We are very comfortable with the available quantity and reliability of supply provided by the backwash filter water. The highest available flows coincide with our peak running period, 2nd and 3rd quarters. In both quarters the available water exceeds our maximum possible usage while running based upon 4000 service hours by 38%. The only quarter in which the available supply is less than our maximum possible usage is the 1st quarter, our least likely period to operate. Operation of a peaking plant for 4000 hours means there are serious problems with the electric supply system in the state. We view this as a very unlikely event. The investors and lenders to Midway are very comfortable with the reliability of the backwash filter water supply.

Sincerely,
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