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## **Diablo Canyon**

Full disclosure I am a PG&E/Diablo Canyon retiree.

That being said, I have watched with dismay as the state bargained to mothball a very safe, productive and financially viable resource, then failed to adequately follow through on it's promise to replace the lost power, whether with clean power or not.

Please provide PG&E with a clear legislative path for DCPD to continue providing safe, cost effective reliable power. This would include continued use of once through cooling in addition to various discharge and use permits.

Hopefully in another 10 years we will be ready to abandon the 2200 plus megawatts of carbon free generation without having to buy dirty power from neighboring states that do not value the environment at the same level as most California's.

Thank you