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CEC Commissioners and staff:

Please terminate, not extend or suspend, the application suspension requested by the Quail Brush powerplant promoters. Quail Brush is detrimental to public convenience and contrary to public necessity. The proposed Quail Brush powerplant project would not provide public benefits and would damage public welfare. The Quail Brush proposal conflicts with California laws, ordinances, regulations and Standards. The environmental damage from production and combustion of Natural Gas cannot be justified by any demonstrated need for this project proposal for the foreseeable future. Eliminating alternative fuel sources by requiring Natural Gas as a project objective is inappropriate. Quail Brush would create new obstacles to meeting California Clean Renewable Energy Standard targets and numeric objectives. Quail Brush is not needed for public convenience and necessity. Solar power is more reliable and less polluting than Natural Gas combustion. Quail Brush is too expensive when compared to alternative power resources. Quail Brush is not positioned to provide substitute for the recently approved Encina powerplant. There is already a substantial excess of power generation in the region and peak demand is falling, not increasing, due to energy conservation and rooftop solar. There are more prudent and feasible alternatives to Quail Brush. Utilizing San Diego's growing local distributed generation is more efficient than a new centralized fossil fuel peaker powerplant for the foreseeable future.