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Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

Hope you are doing well.

My name is Ara Etoyan. I live in Porter Ranch, CA. I have a Doctorate degree in Pharmacy.

As you are aware, on February 9, 2017, the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) opened a proceeding (called an Order Instituting Investigation; I.17-02-002) to determine the feasibility of minimizing or eliminating the use of Southern California Gas Company's Aliso Canyon Natural Gas Storage Facility while still maintaining energy and electric reliability for the Los Angeles region.

As of the writing of this email on December 6, 2017, my understanding is:

1. The proceeding is being delayed due to a contracting process. CPUC received one bid for the economic model, and the bid was disqualified.
2. CPUC's and California Energy Commission's (CEC) letter dated December 4th, 2017, states that there are "concerns" - which are only based on assessments - that Southern California Gas Company will be unable to meet natural gas demand during peak winter conditions in December 2017 and January 2018, therefore using gas from Aliso Canyon storage field is the "solution".

http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/uploadedFiles/CPUC_Public_Website/Content/News_Room/News_and_Updates/12.04.17%20-%20Letter%20to%20Kathryn%20Barger_LA%20County%20re%20Aliso%20Canyon.pdf

Is CPUC and CEC not concerned about the health of my family and particularly my five year old son? And how about the health of all the residents in the area?

What needs to be done to expedite I.17-02-002 and shut down Aliso Canyon?

Please let me know.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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