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Brian Bateman
Director of Engineering
Bay Area Air Quality Management District
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**Subject: Submittal of Application for Authority to Construct and Permit to Operate
Amendment – Marsh Landing Generating Station Application #18404 Plant #19169**

Dear Mr. Bateman:

Mirant Marsh Landing LLC, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Mirant Corporation (“Mirant”) proposes to modify the proposed power generation project within Mirant’s Contra Costa Power Plant near Antioch, California. The attached document is an Authority to Construct / Permit to Operate Application Amendment to the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD) for the Marsh Landing Generating Station (MLGS).

The MLGS project will be changed from two Siemens Flex Plant 10 (FP10) combined-cycle units and two Siemens 5000F combustion turbine units operating in simple-cycle mode (Simple Cycle units) to four Simple Cycle units. The Simple Cycle units will provide peaking power and are expected to operate at a maximum 20 percent capacity factor, generating approximately 760 MW (net). The MLGS will utilize the best available technology for environmental performance.

An Application for Certification amendment for this project was filed with the California Energy Commission dated September 2009 (Docket # 08-AFC-3).

The enclosed application amendment includes supporting information, as well as a DVD containing electronic copies of revised air quality and public health modeling input and output files.

Please contact me at (510) 874-3055 if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

Application with DVD – 3 sets

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