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Ms. Cris Morris
Watershed Regulatory Section Chief
Regional Water Quality Control Board
320 West 4th St., Suite 200
Los Angeles, California 90013

**Subject: Withdraw of Request for Time Schedule Order (Tentative Order R4-2020-XXXX)
NPDES Permit No. CA0001198; CI No. 5619
Ormond Beach Generating Station**

Dear Ms. Morris:

On August 25, 2020, GenOn California South, LP (GenOn) submitted a request for Time Schedule Order (TSO) under California Water Code section 13385(j)(3)(B)(i) in anticipation of the adoption of new effluent limitations for ammonia (as N) at Discharge Point 001 upon the renewal of Ormond Beach Generating Station's National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. CA0001198, located at 6635 South Edison Drive, Oxnard, California. In response, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Water Board) issued, for public comment, a tentative TSO on September 18, 2020.

Since requesting the TSO, GenOn has continued to expediently investigate source control and minimization practices for ammonia in its effluent discharge. We now have several viable options that will enable the station to comply with the new ammonia discharge limits. Given the progress achieved in identifying compliance methods, GenOn is confident to be compliant with the new ammonia limits included in the Tentative Waste Discharge Requirement (WDR) within 30 days of the effective date of the permit. Accordingly, GenOn hereby withdraws our request for the TSO.

We appreciate the Water Board's effort in proposing the tentative TSO and in accounting for this subsequent withdrawal of our request. Please contact me at (805) 986-7241 or by email at Thomas.DiCiolli@genon.com or Mr. Scott Warnock, Environmental Specialist at (805) 276-1765 or at Scott.Warnock@genon.com if you have any questions or need further information.

Sincerely,

Thomas Di Ciolli
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