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Re: Request for extension of review period of Mitigated Negative Declaration  
Documents for Palos Verdes Gas-to-Energy Center

Dear Mr. Glenn Acosta,

The American Lung Association respectfully requests that you extend the time for review of the Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) from the current date of December 17, 2007 to the date of February 1, 2007.

Given that the document was released amidst the Thanksgiving holiday and considering the upcoming holidays in December, the community and organizations like our own will have difficulty giving the MND the thorough review that it deserves. We believe that it would be unfair to allow the project to continue without adequate community involvement, including an understanding of the possible environmental impacts this project poses. Without an extension we fear that it would be impossible for the community to gain this type of understanding.

We thank you for your time and hope that you will consider our request.

Sincerely,  
Igor Kagan  
Advocacy Coordinator  
American Lung Association of California