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COMMISSION
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October 15, 2007

Ms. LaDonna Castanuela
Via Fax: (512) 239-3311

Re: Application of Lerin Hills, Ltd. For TPDES
Permit No. WQ 0014712001;
Response of John and Patricia Bakke to Executive Director's
Response to Hearing Requests;
Docket 2007-1178-MWD

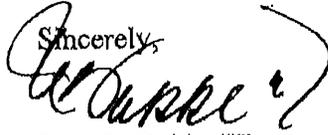
Dear Ms. Castanuela:

We timely filed a hearing request, and subsequently withdrew it based on Lerin Hills Ltd.'s commitment to reuse all of the treated effluent pursuant to a TCEQ Chapter 210 Reuse Authorization, for which Lerin has applied.

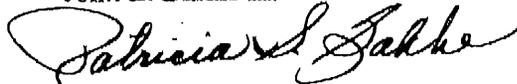
We note that the Executive Director found that only Mr. Edgar Blanch has standing for a referral to the State Office of Administrative Hearings, but that Mr. Blach subsequently withdraw his request for a contested case hearing.

Since Mr. Blanch has withdrawn his request, along with Mr. Webster and ourselves, we respectfully suggest that the Executive Director consider revising his Response to recommend issuance of the proposed Permit without a contested hearing.

Sincerely,



John E. Bakke III



Patricia S. Bakke