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EXHIBIT A

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March 13, 2009

Mr. Gregory D. Scott, Chief
Mineral Resources Management Division
California State Lands Commission
200 Oceangate, 12th Floor
Long Beach, CA 90802-4331

SUBJECT: **SUBMISSION OF THE LONG BEACH UNIT ANNUAL PLAN (JULY 1, 2009-JUNE 30, 2010) AND PROGRAM PLAN (JULY 2009-JUNE 2014)**

Dear Mr. Scott:

The City of Long Beach, as Unit Operator of the Long Beach Unit, and in accordance with Chapter 138, Section 5, Chapter 941, Section 3, and the Agreement for Implementation of an Optimized Waterflood Program for the Long Beach Unit, Article 2, submits two copies of the Long Beach Unit Annual Plan (July 1, 2009-June 30, 2010) and Program Plan (July 2009-June 2014).

The Plans were approved by the Long Beach City Council on March 10, 2009. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sue Schoij at (562) 570-3973.

Sincerely,

for Christopher J. Garner, Director
Long Beach Department of Gas and Oil

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