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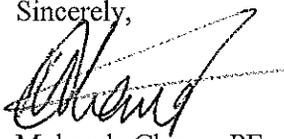
Dear Ms. Ramirez:

Pursuant to Title 17 of the Pima County Code (§17.12.190.A.2), we are enclosing Tucson Electric Power (TEP's) – North Loop Generating Station's proposed final permit for your review. This is a 5-year renewal. The Technical Support document is included as well. Local public notice for TEP – North Loop Generating Station began on June 16, 2008 and included publication notices in the Tucson, Arizona area. During the 30-day public comment period, we received neither comments nor any requests for a public hearing.

We would appreciate prompt notification if you determine, prior to the end of the 45-day review period, that you have no objection to our issuing the permit.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (520) 243-7347.

Sincerely,



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Air Permits Supervisor

Attached: Proposed Final Permit for TEP – North Loop Generating Station and TSD documents.

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