February 7, 2000

The Honorable David P. Boergers Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: California Independent System Operator Corporation Docket No. ER00-1365-000

Dear Secretary Boergers:

The California Independent System Operator Corporation ("ISO") submits the following letter in response to a request from the Commission Staff that the ISO address the time-frame in which the Commission will act in the above-captioned docket.

On January 28, 2000, the ISO filed Amendment No. 26 to the ISO Tariff in the above-captioned docket. The Commission issued a Notice of Filing regarding Amendment No. 26 on February 4, 2000. The Commission Staff has recently requested that the ISO authorize the Commission to defer the final date for rendering a decision on Amendment No. 26 from March 28, 2000, to April 7, 2000. The ISO has no objection to the Commission acting on Amendment No. 26 at any time up until April 7.

The Honorable David P. Boergers February 7, 2000 Page 2

An additional copy of this letter is provided to be time-stamped and returned to our messenger. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Roger E. Smith
Senior Regulatory Counsel
Beth Ann Burns
Regulatory Counsel
The California Independent System
Operator Corporation
151 Blue Ravine Road
Folsom, California 95630

Edward Berlin
J. Phillip Jordan
Michael E. Ward
Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP
3000 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007

Counsel for the California Independent System Operator Corporation

cc: Elizabeth Arnold, Office of General Counsel