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Dear Mr. Sergel and Mr. Helyer:

The Western Interconnection Regional Advisory Body (WIRAB) submits the attached advice to the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) and its Planning Committee in support of the Western Electricity Coordinating Council's (WECC) proposed scenario for the 2009 Long Term Reliability Assessment (LTRA).

We appreciate your careful consideration of the WECC proposal at the NERC Planning Committee's upcoming meeting on June 4-5, 2008.

Sincerely,

John Savage, Chairman  
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