PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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April 21, 2008

The Honorable Lois Wolk Member, California State Assembly State Capitol, Room 3120 Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: AB 2501 (Wolk) – As Introduced February 21, 2008 – Support Status: Assembly Committee on Appropriations

Dear Assemblymember Wolk:

On April 10, 2008, the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) voted unanimously to support your AB 2501, which would require the Department of Water Resources to prepare a report that determines the energy savings and green house gas emissions reductions resulting from the use of recycled water for nonpotable uses and from water conservation. The California Public Utilities, along with other state agencies, will serve as consultation in the preparation of the report.

Please see the attached analysis for an explanation of the Commission's position.

If you have any questions or wish to discuss this matter further, please do not hesitate to call me at (916) 327-8441.

Sincerely,

PAMELA LOOMIS
Deputy Director

Attachment

cc: The Honorable Mark Leno, Chair, Assembly Committee on Appropriations
Members, Assembly Committee on Appropriations
Anthony Archie, Assembly Republican Caucus/Fiscal
John Moffatt, Deputy Legislative Secretary, Office of Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger