

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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April 25, 2008

The Honorable Bill Emmerson
Member, California State Assembly
State Capitol, Room 4158
Sacramento, CA 95814**RE: AB 2674 (Emmerson) – As introduced February 21, 2008 – Support
Status: Assembly Committee on Local Government**

Dear Assemblymember Emmerson:

On April 24, 2008, the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) voted unanimously to support your AB 2674, which would authorize a public agency (Federal, State, County or Local) to enter into a Joint Powers Agreement with an investor-owned water utility.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pamela C. Loomis".

PAMELA LOOMIS
Deputy Director**Attachment**

cc: The Honorable Anna Caballero, Chair, Assembly Committee on Local Government
The Honorable Guy Houston, Vice Chair, Assembly Committee on Local Government
Members, Assembly Committee on Local Government
William Weber, Assembly Republican Caucus/Office of Policy
John Moffatt, Deputy Legislative Secretary, Office of Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger