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501 Slaters Lane #715
Alexandria, Va 22314

February 13, 2008

Dear Mr. Darton:

Thank you for providing this opportunity to submit comments regarding Mirant's proposed stack merge at the Potomac River Generating Station.

I feel that enough money and time has been spent and wasted fighting, justifying and debating this project. In my opinion, Mirant has been a good neighbor, and a necessary utility supplier, which has provided more than adequate documentation regarding the necessity, no, actually, the desirability of the proposed project. I really believe the uncontrolled explosion of development in Alexandria has done more to generate pollution than Mirant could come close to matching.

Regardless, I am tired of my money being wasted on efforts to shut down, or thwart any effort towards improvement by this plant. Please, can you cut through all the trumped up reasons to delay this project, and let's move ahead with the improvements to this plant which is so critical to the region's electricity supply.

It is finally time to move beyond the vocal objections to this project, by the minority, and move ahead by looking at the 'big picture' for the region and acting accordingly.

Thank you for taking the time to read my letter and consider my views.

Sincerely,
Diane Kapanowski