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To Whom It May Concern:

Castaic Lake Water Agency has utilized the services of A.R Merante Corporation to assist in various maintenance projects at Agency facilities. A.R. Merante has provide skilled labor and supervision on projects such as the replacement of a 14" carbon steel air wash piping with 14" stainless steel piping, the replacement of ozone generating cooling water piping and the installation of various pumps and mechanical systems.

It has been the Agency's experience that the services provided by A.R. Merante Corporation contain the professional and technical skills needed to support the goals and objectives of the Agency's maintenance program.

Sincerely,



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