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Mr. Kevin Meagher
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16870 West Bernardo Dr., Ste. 330
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RE: Support for Power Analytics Proposal to the Army Corps of Engineers, BAA, 2-2-12, FY 2013 ESTCP

Dear Mr. Meagher:

On behalf of CleanTECH San Diego, I am pleased to express my support for Power Analytics' proposal to the Army Corps of Engineers for the deployment of Secure Automated Microgrid Energy Systems (SAMES) to NAVFAC Southwest.

CleanTECH San Diego is a nonprofit association focused on accelerating the greater San Diego region's transition to a clean energy economy. We have a broad and diverse membership that includes private sector companies, as well as local governments, nongovernmental agencies and universities and research institutions.

As one of the most robust cleantech clusters in the nation, the San Diego region is home to over 837 cleantech companies, including over 23 smart grid companies. CleanTECH San Diego is committed to the growth of our region's emerging cleantech sector and will continue working with governmental agencies, local universities, community-based organizations and the business community to expand this economic opportunity.

CleanTECH San Diego is a leading advocate for modernization of the nation's electric grid to enable massive efficiencies and scaling of distributed energy resources, renewable generation and electrified transport. Smart grid technologies play a critical role in transitioning the nation to a sustainable and secure energy system. CleanTECH San Diego is one of five key partners in the Smart City San Diego initiative- a multi-year program aimed to accelerate the adoption of electric vehicles and the charging infrastructure, implement energy efficiency projects and create a sustainability index to gauge the effectiveness of the program's efforts. The goal is to make San Diego a model smart city that can be replicated around the U.S. to better prepare the nation for its transition to smart grid technologies.

Your proposed project is a perfect example of our region's capabilities and will greatly benefit the military. For these reasons and many others, CleanTECH San Diego strongly supports your proposal.

Sincerely,

James Waring