



February 10, 2009

Mr. Sam A. Joumblat Executive Director ICTF Joint Powers Authority P.O. Box 570 Long Beach, CA 90801-0570.

Dear Mr. Joumblat:

On behalf of the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce, we are writing to express our support of the ICTF (Intermodal Container Transfer Facility) Modernization Plan. In reviewing the project, we believe that the project will bring significant economic benefits to the entire region, while reducing negative environmental impacts.

The San Pedro Chamber in partnership with the San Pedro Bay Port Technologies Center is very focused on the development of green technologies, and this project with its totally green prospectus that reduces diesel emissions and relies heavily on clean electrical energy is one that we can truly support.

In support of our neighbors in Wilmington, we are also pleased that the project will take trucks out of neighborhood streets by providing a state of the art new gate system that will efficiently handle the movement of goods.

In these difficult economic times, we also appreciate that the project will be privately funded.

Thank you for considering our position on this important project for the Ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach and their respective communities.

Sincerely,

John Ek Chairperson

Board of Directors

Camilla Townsend President/CEO

