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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Continue Implementation and Administration of California Renewables Portfolio Standard Program.

Rulemaking 11-05-005  
(Filed May 5, 2011)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING (1) CONFIRMING PARTY STATUS (2) GRANTING MOTIONS TO FILE CONFIDENTIAL MATERIALS UNDER SEAL AND (3) GRANTING MOTION TO LATE-FILE A NOTICE OF INTENT**

This ruling confirms the granting of a number of motions for party status. This ruling also grants two requests for permission to file confidential material under seal. In addition, this ruling grants a motion to late-file a notice of intent to claim intervenor compensation.

- The Administrative Law Judge granted party status to the below noted entities via rulings sent by electronic mail as indicated:
  1. Federal Executive Agencies filed a motion for party status on July 24, 2011. The motion was granted via email ruling dated July 28, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email ruling.
  2. NV Energy, Inc. filed a motion for party status on July 28, 2011. The motion was granted via email ruling dated August 10, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email.
  3. Pathfinder Wind Energy filed a motion for party status on August 5, 2011. Today's ruling grants this motion.
  4. Clean Energy Renewable Fuels, LLC filed a motion for party status dated August 8, 2011. The motion was

granted via email ruling on August 9, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email ruling.

5. Ormat Technologies Inc. filed a motion for party status on August 8, 2011. The motion was granted via email ruling dated August 9, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email ruling.
  6. Arizona Public Service Company filed a motion for party status on August 8, 2011. The motion was granted via email ruling dated August 10, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email ruling.
  7. Evolution Markets Inc. filed a motion for party status on August 11, 2011. The motion was granted via email ruling on August 15, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email ruling.
  8. Ecology Action of Santa Cruz, Inc. filed a motion for party status dated September 1, 2011. The motion was granted via email ruling on September 11, 2011. Today's ruling confirms the prior email ruling.
- The following two motions for leave to file confidential material under seal are granted:
    1. San Diego Gas & Electric Company filed a motion for leave to file a portion of a written ex parte communication under seal on August 10, 2011. Today's ruling grants this motion.
    2. Pacific Gas and Electric Company filed a motion for confidential treatment of ex parte materials on September 15, 2011. Today's ruling grants this motion.
  - The following motion to late-file a notice of intent to claim intervenor compensation is granted: The Vote Solar Initiative (Vote Solar) filed a motion seeking leave to late file a notice of intent to claim intervenor compensation on September 12, 2011. The motion explain that due to the connection between this proceeding and of matters related to the Rule 21 settlement effort as announced in the September 2, 2011 Administrative Law Judge ruling, Vote Solar recently decided to seek to participate in this

proceeding under the intervenor compensation rules.  
Based on this reason, Vote Solar's motion is granted.

**IT IS SO RULED.**

Dated September 27, 2011, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ REGINA DEANGELIS

Regina DeAngelis  
Administrative Law Judge