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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the rates, operations, practices, services, and facilities of Southern California Edison Company and San Diego Gas and Electric Company associated with the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Units 2 and 3.

Investigation 12-10-013
(Filed October 25, 2012)

And Related Matters.

Application 13-01-016
Application 13-03-005
Application 13-03-013
Application 13-03-014

LATE FILING OF NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATION

Pursuant to Rules 8.3 and 8.4 of the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, and on behalf of Stephanie Pincetl, Director of the Center for Sustainable Communities at the University of California, Los Angeles, who is not a party to this proceeding but qualifies as an interested person under Rule 8.1, this notice of an ex parte communication is provided as set forth below. The communication was in an e-mail message that Ms. Pincetl initiated with Commission President Michael Peevey.

On October 2, 2014, Ms. Pincetl sent an email (attachment A to this ex parte notice) to President Peevey requesting that he consider modifications to the settlement on the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station (SONGS) Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment A

From: Pincetl, Stephanie [<mailto:spincetl@ioes.ucla.edu>] **Sent:** Thursday, October 02, 2014 3:09 PM **To:** Peevey, Michael R. **Cc:** Craig Perkins; Gold, Mark; Elizabeth, Zoe **Subject:** Fwd: CPUC Identifies Changes Needed To Proposed San Onofre Settlement Before Further Consideration Can Be Given: CPUC Press Release

Dear Mike

It would help us enormously if the language for the SONGS agreement was slightly modified. Here is our proposal below, with the original language in the next paragraph. We are concerned that without more specific language about campuses w/in the territories of the utilities, it will be difficult for us to participate.

thanks very much

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(a) As part of their philanthropic programs, each of SCE and SDG&E agree to work with the University of California Energy Institute (or other existing UC entity, on one or more campuses **within the SCE and SDG&E service territories**, engaged in energy technology development) to create a Research, Development, and Demonstration (RD&D) program, whose goal would be to deploy new technologies, methodologies, and/or design modifications to reduce GHG emissions, particularly at current and future generating plants in California.

1.32. The Agreement is hereby amended by adding Section 4.16 to the Agreement in the appropriate numerical location, to read as follows:

4.16. Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Research: Subject to the Commission's approval of the Agreement,
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(b) The RD&D program will operate for up to five years following the Commission's

approval of the Tier 2 Advice Letter described in section 4.16(e).

(c) SCE will pledge and donate \$4 million annually for five years, and SDG&E will pledge and donate \$1 million annually for five years, so that the total amounts donated will be \$5 million annually for five years. All such donations will be from shareholder funds.

(d) Within 60 days of the Effective Date, the Utilities commit to host a meeting with UC representatives and other interested parties with the goal of crafting a Program Implementation Plan (PIP). The Commission's Energy Division shall provide support in coordinating the meeting.

(e) Within 30 days thereafter, the Utilities shall jointly file, and serve, a PIP via a Tier 2 Advice Letter that describes the process for implementation, a proposed schedule and budget, and expected results, applications, and demonstrations.

(f) The Utilities will file, and serve, an annual report to the Energy Division to apprise the Commission of the program's progress towards beta testing of developed technologies, methodologies, and/or design changes.

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(end of Attachment A)