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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U902E) for Approval of: (i) Contract Administration, Least-Cost Dispatch and Power Procurement Activities in 2016, (ii) Costs Related to those Activities Recorded to the Energy Resource Recovery Account and Transition Cost Balancing Account in 2016 and (iii) Costs Recorded in Related Regulatory Accounts in 2016.

Application 17-06-006

**E-MAIL RULING CANCELLING THE NOVEMBER 17, 2017
EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

Dated November 9, 2017, at San Francisco, California.

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Subject: A1706006 Email Ruling Cancelling the November 17, 2017 Evidentiary Hearing

As further detailed below, this Email Ruling cancels the one-day evidentiary hearing scheduled for November 17, 2017 in Application (A.) 17-06-006. A future Ruling will provide notice of the exact dates for a January 2018 evidentiary hearing for A.17-06-006.

The August 18, 2017 Scoping Memo of Assigned Commissioner and Joint Ruling of the Administrative Law Judge (Scoping Memo) established the schedule for A. 17-06-006, including a date of November 17, 2017 for an evidentiary hearing. The Scoping Memo directed parties to meet and confer by November 1, 2017 and, no later than November 6, 2017, provide a report via email to the Administrative Law Judge to include the status of the need for hearing and, if necessary, estimates of cross-examination time and a list of disputed facts.

On November 3, 2017, the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA) contacted the Administrative Law Judge stating that a hearing is necessary and three hours of cross-examination time is requested. On November 6, 2017, San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) emailed the Administrative Law Judge also stating that a hearing is necessary; SDG&E requested 22 hours of cross-examination time. Both SDG&E and ORA agreed that the evidentiary hearing should be rescheduled to January 2018.

The one-day hearing currently scheduled for November 17, 2017 is insufficient time for both parties to conduct cross examination. The evidentiary hearing scheduled for November 17, 2017 is cancelled; a Ruling will be issued providing notice of exact dates for an evidentiary hearing in January 2018.

IT IS RULED that the evidentiary hearing scheduled for November 17, 2017 in Application 17-06-006 is cancelled; a subsequent Ruling will provide notice of the exact dates of an evidentiary hearing in January 2018.

The Docket Office shall formally file this Email Ruling.

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