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THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA



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Application of Southern California Edison Company (U338E) for Approval of its 2012-2014 California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) and Energy Savings Assistance Programs and Budgets	Application 11-05-017 (Filed May 16, 2011)
Application of Southern California Gas Company (U904G) for Approval of Low-Income Assistance Programs and Budgets for Program Years 2012-2014	Application 11-05-018 (Filed May 16, 2011)
Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Approval of the 2012-2014 Energy Savings Assistance and California Alternate Rates for Energy Programs and Budget (U39M)	Application 11-05-019 (Filed May 16, 2011)
Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U902M) for Approval of Low-Income Assistance Programs and Budgets for Program Years 2012-2014	Application 11-05-020 (Filed May 16, 2011)

**NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATION OF THE CENTER FOR
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In accordance with Rule 8.3 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the Center for Accessible Technology (CforAT) hereby gives notice of the following ex parte communications in A.110-05-017, A.11-05-018, A. 11-05-019, and A.11-05-020 (the consolidated proceeding) regarding the IOUs' 2012-2014 budgets for the ESAP and CARE programs:

On Tuesday, June 5, 2012 at approximately 1:30 pm, Melissa Kasnitz, Legal Counsel for CforAT, met in person with Carol Brown, Chief of Staff to President Michael Peevey, as well as Audrey Lee and Damon Franz, Advisors to President Peevey, in the offices of the CPUC in San Francisco, California. Communication was oral and lasted approximately 35 minutes. Ms. Kasnitz discussed CforAT's concerns about provisions of the pending PD relating to CARE, and CforAT's recommendations for modifications to the PD. CforAT provided copies of the documents attached hereto, including a joint letter from CforAT, DRA, TURN and the Greenlining Institute (previously served by DRA on the service list for this consolidated proceeding) and a one-page handout summarizing CforAT's position on issues concerning CARE.

Also on Tuesday, June 5, 2012, at approximately 3:00 pm, Melissa Kasnitz met in person with Michael Colvin and Charlyn Hook, Advisors to Commissioner Ferron, in the offices of the CPUC in San Francisco, California. . Communication was oral, and lasted approximately 30 minutes with Mr. Colvin and approximately 50 minutes with Ms. Hook. Ms. Kasnitz discussed CforAT's concerns about provisions of the pending PD relating to CARE, and CforAT's recommendations for modifications to the PD. CforAT provided copies of the documents attached hereto.

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Dated this 6th day of June, 2012 in Berkeley, California.

Respectfully submitted,

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