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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking Regarding Policies, Procedures and Rules for the California Solar Initiative, the Self-Generation Incentive Program and Other Distributed Generation Issues.

Rulemaking 10-05-004
(Filed May 6, 2010)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
CHANGING COMPLIANCE DATES FOR SGIP AUDIT AND
CSI THERMAL PROGRAM ADVICE LETTER**

This ruling grants two requests to modify dates for compliance filings in the above captioned proceeding.

In Decision (D.) 09-12-047, the Commission directed the Self Generation Incentive Program (SGIP) administrators¹ to obtain an independent audit of SGIP ratepayer collections and submit it to Energy Division by October 1, 2010. In an electronic mail from SCE's attorney to the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) on September 20, 2010, SCE asks, on behalf of the SGIP administrators, for additional time to complete the audit due to unforeseen circumstances that delayed issuance of the contract to the selected independent auditor. Ordering Paragraph 8 of D.09-12-047 allows the ALJ to modify dates in the decision as needed and for good cause to ensure effective program implementation. This ruling grants SCE's request on behalf of the SGIP administrators and changes the

¹ The SGIP administrators are Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), Southern California Edison (SCE), Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas), and the California Center for Sustainable Energy (CCSE).

deadline in Ordering Paragraph 3(d) of D.09-12-047 from October 1, 2010 to January 10, 2011.

In D.10-01-022, the Commission established the California Solar Initiative (CSI) Thermal Program and required the CSI Thermal Program Administrators (PAs)² to make several compliance filings. Ordering Paragraph 6 required the PAs to each submit an advice letter to the Commission on April 1, 2010, including, among other things, a detailed estimate of market facilitation budgets and activities for the first two years of CSI Thermal. Ordering Paragraph 13(b) requires the PAs to each submit an advice letter with market facilitation budget and activities for the next calendar year no later than October 1 of the preceding year.

In an electronic mail from SCE's attorney to the ALJ on September 16, 2010, SCE asks, on behalf of the CSI Thermal PAs, for clarification that since the PAs already filed market facilitation budgets and activities for 2011 in their April 1, 2010 advice letters, which are still pending at the Commission, there is no need to file a second advice letter with the same budgets and activities by the October 1 deadline for 2011. Ordering Paragraph 17 of D.10-01-022 allows the ALJ to modify dates in the decision as needed and for good cause to ensure effective program implementation. This ruling clarifies that there is no need for an advice letter filing on October 1, 2010 with proposed 2011 CSI Thermal market facilitation budgets and activities if these were filed on April 1, 2010. The CSI Thermal PAs should file an advice letter by October 1, 2011 with proposed

² The CSI Thermal PAs are PG&E, SCE, and CCSE

