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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 CLARIFYING
STATUS OF EXISTING ASSEMBLY BILL 1969 FEED-IN
TARIFF PROGRAM PER THE MOTION BY SOUTHERN
CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY**

This ruling responds to the June 21, 2012 motion by Southern California Edison Company (SCE), entitled *Motion of Southern California Edison Company for Clarification Regarding Status of Existing Assembly Bill 1969 Feed-In Tariff Program Under Decision 12-05-035*. SCE seeks clarification on whether Decision (D.) 12-05-035 closes the existing Feed-In Tariff Program under California Public Utilities Code Section 399.20 as of the date of that decision (May 24, 2012). Several responses to this motion were filed. This ruling clarifies that D.12-05-035 does not close the existing tariffed program. The existing program will remain in effect until new tariffs are filed to replace the existing program. These new tariffs will conform to D.12-05-035. I anticipate that this filing date will be in the fourth quarter of 2012 but further specificity on this date is difficult to provide as parties are continuing to work on the program's standard contracts and tariff language.

IT IS RULED that the existing Public Utilities Code Section 399.20 Feed-In Tariff Programs implemented under Assembly Bill 1969 will remain effective until replaced by the new tariffs

Dated July 10, 2012, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ REGINA M. DEANGELIS

Regina M. DeAngelis
Administrative Law Judge