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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Adoption of its Smart Grid Pilot Deployment Project (U39E).

Application 11-11-017
(Filed November 21, 2011)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING GRANTING
MOTION TO LATE FILE A NOTICE OF INTENT
TO CLAIM INTERVENOR COMPENSATION**

Commission Rules of Process and Procedure (Rules) 17.1(a)(1) requires that a Notice of Intent (NOI) to claim intervenor compensation be filed within 30 days of the prehearing conference (PHC) in a proceeding. I held a PHC in this proceeding on February 3, 2012. Therefore, the filing deadline for the NOI was March 5, 2012.

On April 25, 2012, the Clean Coalition filed a Motion to late file its NOI in this proceeding. In its Motion, Clean Coalition explained that after timely filing an NOI in Rulemaking 08-12-009, the Commission's Smart Grid proceeding, the organization did not realize an NOI filing in this related proceeding was also required.

Clean Coalition has been an active participant in the Smart Grid proceeding, as well as other Commission proceedings, and I anticipate them to be active in this proceeding. Because Clean Coalition has otherwise complied with Commission Rules and no party will be disadvantaged by the late filing of

the NOI, it is reasonable to grant Clean Coalition's request.

IT IS RULED that the April 25, 2012, Motion by Clean Coalition to late file its Notice of Intent to claim intervenor compensation is granted.

Dated May 8, 2012, at San Francisco, California.

 /s/ KELLY A. HYMES
Kelly A. Hymes
Administrative Law Judge