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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Application of Southern California Edison Company (U338E) for Authority to Establish its Authorized Cost of Capital for Utility Operations for 2022 and Reset the Annual Cost of Capital Adjustment Mechanism.

Application 21-08-013

And Related Matters.

Application 21-08-014

Application 21-08-015

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES' RULING
NOTICING ORAL ARGUMENT**

The Protect Our Community Foundation (PCF) requested oral argument before the Commission on March 11, 2022, the same day it filed its opening brief, pursuant to Public Utilities Code § 1701.3(i) and Rule 13.14(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. This ruling notices the oral argument in the above-captioned proceedings before a quorum of the Commission and Administrative Law Judges (ALJs) Jessica Hecht and Zhen Zhang as follows:

**Friday, July 22, 2022
Beginning at 12 noon
Remote Participation Only**

Webex (Video) Connection Information:

<https://cpuc.webex.com/cpuc/onstage/g.php?MTID=e84c54f7922f47653401a8fa23450fb40>

Public Webex Password: 2022

Telephone Connection Information

Toll-Free: 800-857-1917

Passcode: 1767567#

Due to the ongoing concerns and requirements regarding workplace safety, Commissioners and all parties shall participate through video and audio conference.

Audio/Visual Set-Up Prior to the Oral Argument

- **All parties shall connect to both the video and audio connections by 11:30 a.m. on the date set for the oral argument** to test their equipment and connectivity. This will also facilitate the Court Reporters' identification of speakers, and help to avoid disturbances otherwise caused by late arrivals and connection difficulties.
- We will go over preliminary matters and housekeeping issues starting at 11:45 a.m., prior to going on the record. These preliminary matters will include review of the agenda, as well as other scheduling, procedural, or preliminary housekeeping matters, as needed. This should allow for an orderly and timely commencement of the parties' arguments at 12:00 p.m.
- Since the audio connection is solely through the Verizon conference line, all parties shall connect in the following sequence:
 - 1) with your phone, connect to the Verizon conference line, and
 - 2) on the computer, log into the Webex link.
- Parties, counsel, court reporters, the ALJs, and the Commissioners will have their video on during the oral argument and will be visible on the screen. Other

attendees do not appear on the screen and will be in a watch-only mode and muted.

- All persons logging into WebEx will enter as an attendee. The Commission staff will activate visibility for the party representatives (panelists) identified in advance (*see* instructions below).
- If needed, Commission staff will separately contact the designated speakers with specific connectivity information.
- Designated panelists will be expected to leave their camera on except during breaks.
- All attendees should mute their phone when not speaking.
- Prior to the day of the oral argument, all presenting parties shall ensure that they have all necessary audio/visual equipment, sufficient power/battery, and sufficient connectivity to participate fully.
- For technical issues with WebEx or the telephone line, parties may e-mail Proceeding Analysts James Donovan at James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov and Uzma Rehman at Uzma.Rehman@cpuc.ca.gov.

Presentation at the Oral Argument

Parties that intend to participate in the oral argument shall e-mail the following information to Proceeding Analysts James Donovan at James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov and Uzma Rehman at Uzma.Rehman@cpuc.ca.gov by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 20, 2022. A party's opportunity to participate in the oral argument will be deemed waived for any party that does not timely provide the following information by close of business on July 20, 2022. The ALJs will determine the final order of party presentations and time allocations based on this information:

1. Your active party's company or organization name, as listed on the service list.

2. The name of the individual who will be representing that active party.
3. The e-mail address and phone number that that active party's individual representative will use to log into the WebEx and telephone conference.
4. Whether your party will be presenting jointly with, or deferring time to, another active party during the oral argument. Parties that choose to consolidate their presentations could be given additional time.

Please make all reasonable efforts to consolidate or coordinate presentations to avoid duplication of positions.

Please note that it is unlikely that we will be able to accept handouts, slides or other demonstration items due to the remote hearing environment. Please contact Proceeding Analysts James Donovan at James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov and Uzma Rehman at Uzma.Rehman@cpuc.ca.gov if you have any technical questions.

IT IS RULED that:

1. The oral argument will take place on July 22, 2022, beginning at 12:00 p.m.
2. This oral argument will be held remotely, with all parties participating online only. Instructions for participation are as described in this ruling.
3. Any party who wishes to participate in the oral argument must e-mail the above described information to Proceeding Analysts James Donovan at James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov and Uzma Rehman at Uzma.Rehman@cpuc.ca.gov by 5:00 p.m. July 20, 2022.

Dated July 6, 2022, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ZHEN ZHANG

Zhen Zhang
Administrative Law Judge

/s/ JESSICA T. HECHT

Jessica T. Hecht
Administrative Law Judge