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Application of Southern California
Gas Company (U904G) for Authority,
Among Other Things, to Update its
Gas Revenue Requirement and Base
Rates Effective on January 1, 2024.

Application 22-05-015

And Related Matter.

Application 22-05-016

**EMAIL RULING NOTICING A DECEMBER 5, 2025 REMOTE STATUS
CONFERENCE AND PROVIDING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE REMOTE
EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

Dated November 18, 2025, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ JOHN LARSEN

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Subject: A.22.05-015/016 SEMPRA GRC TRACK 3 E-MAIL RULING NOTICING A DECEMBER 5, 2025 REMOTE STATUS CONFERENCE AND PROVIDING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE REMOTE EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Parties to proceeding A.22-05-015 & 016:

This ruling notices a remote status conference for Track 3 of this proceeding on December 5, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. prior to an evidentiary hearing on December 9-10, 2025, if needed. Information regarding how to access the remote status conference, its agenda, and instructions for the evidentiary hearings are set forth below.

A. December 5, 2025 Status Conference – Remote Access Information & Agenda

- Should technical issues occur with Webex or the telephone line during the status conference, parties should contact the following Commission staff via email: **Etchissa Genesis** at Etchissa.Genesis@cpuc.ca.gov or **James Donovan** at

James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov. Parties should also contact staff if they have any logistical questions regarding the evidentiary hearing.

- **Public:** The Webex Link and Telephone Numbers (with Passcode) to watch and listen to the status conference only are as follows:

Public Webex link:

<https://cpuc.webex.com/cpuc/j.php?MTID=m87faf6a620206db1ec4b6e0ef9f289e4>

Webinar password: 2025 when dialing from a phone or video system.

Webinar number: 2484 775 5454.

Join by phone: 1-855-282-6330 United States Toll Free or +1-415-655-0002 United States Toll by entering Access Code 248 477 55454.

1. **Participants** - Webex Link and Telephone Number (with Passcode) for Panelists' for audio and video:
 - a. Persons planning to speak at the conference must state their intent to attend the conference by e-mailing **Etchissa Genesis** at Etchissa.Genesis@cpuc.ca.gov and **James Donovan** at James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov their name, title, party, email, and phone number of the intended speakers for the status conference no later than **December 1, 2025**.
 - b. Party representatives and other speakers must access the Webex meeting 30 minutes prior to the start of the conference as a panelist by using the information sent to them by email.
 - c. Panelists must keep their video on and remain visible on the screen during the entirety of the conference.
 - d. The email from Commission staff will provide: 1) a Webex link (which is referred to as a *Panelist* link) from the Commission's IT staff that allows the attendee to appear visually on the screen by video. Please note, the Webex link and the attendee Passcode for the telephone line provided to the public in the Commission's Daily Calendar (and set forth above) will not offer the option to appear via video or speak on the telephone line.
2. **Agenda for Status Conference:**
 - a. Discuss the case management statement, proposed evidentiary hearing ground rules, and other topics (all set forth below) as well as address any remaining logistical matters relevant to facilitating the evidentiary hearings and briefing.
 - b. Discuss Witness/Cross-Examination List: On or before **December 3, 2025**, Applicant, in consultation with parties, is directed to email the service list a proposed witness/cross-examination list. This proposal should include the tentative schedule for the order of witnesses and cross-examination for the evidentiary hearing dates. The proposed witness list must include, at a minimum, the following: the name of witness subject to cross examination, the name of the party conducting the cross examination, a short description of testimony regarding disputed issues, the date of the testimony, and estimated cross examination time. Parties must determine how to fit all witnesses within the scheduled time for evidentiary hearing. If parties fail to resolve this matter, the ALJ will act pursuant to Rule 13.5 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.
 - c. Address any pending motions.
 - d. Discuss Exhibit List: On or before **December 3, 2025**, San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E or Applicant) is requested to serve the Track 3 exhibit list of exhibits

submitted by the parties. SDG&E is requested to provide this list in Excel and then maintain live/active links until the proceeding is closed. Applicant's proposed exhibit list must include, at a minimum, the following:

- i. the name and description of each exhibit,
- ii. the sponsoring witness,
- iii. proposed exhibit number, and
- iv. links to the exhibit in the Commission's Supporting Documents database.

See Rule 13.7(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Parties must provide Applicant with the information needed to complete this document.

- e. Discuss Cross-Examination Exhibits: Parties must distribute cross-examination exhibits to the service list by **5:00 p.m. at least two days** before use at the hearing. Parties must provide Applicant with the information regarding cross-examination exhibits needed to complete the exhibit list.
- f. Discuss the process for handling any confidential exhibits, testimony, and cross-examination.
- g. Establish a number/naming convention for the exhibits.
- h. Discuss the need for Applicant to provide all parties with an electronic version of exhibits & cross exhibits after the conclusion of the hearing.
- i. Any other procedural issues regarding the evidentiary hearings.

B. SDG&E Motion for Approval of a Settlement or Case Management Statement – due December 2, 2025

The parties shall meet and confer, and SDG&E shall serve either a motion for approval of a settlement or a case management statement by **December 2, 2025**. If the parties have not settled, any party that served written testimony or intends to cross-examine witnesses at the evidentiary hearing shall provide Applicant with the information set forth below so that it can prepare the Case Management Statement.

The Case Management Statement shall: 1) identify all costs and other issues in dispute, including citations to Applicant's request by exhibit, chapter, page number, and applicable accounting code(s), 2) include joint stipulations of admissions to any exhibits without objections; 3) include any stipulations to the qualifications of witnesses; and 4) include any waivers of cross-examination of any witnesses offering written testimony in lieu of testimony or cross-examination times estimated by parties for each of the proposed witnesses.

C. December 9-10, 2025 Remote Evidentiary Hearing

1. Date, Time, and Location

The hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. and conclude around 4:30 p.m. All party representatives and the witnesses shall be present online no later than 30 minutes before to address any procedural issues, including the pre-marking of exhibits. SDG&E shall coordinate and assemble the final proposed schedule and email it to the assigned administrative law judge (ALJ) no later than 4:30 p.m. on December 7, 2025.

2. Remote Access Information for December 9-10, 2025 Evidentiary Hearing

Should technical issues occur with Webex or the telephone line during the evidentiary hearing, parties should contact the following Commission staff via email: James Donovan at

James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov. Parties should also contact staff if they have any logistical questions regarding the evidentiary hearing.

- 3. Public:** The Webex Link and Telephone Numbers (with Passcode) to watch and listen to the hearing are as follows:

Date and time: Tuesday, December 9, 2025, 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time

Public Webex link:

<https://cpuc.webex.com/cpuc/j.php?MTID=med3dc6ed9c1109df7667826bb9d7bb0a>

Webinar number: 2485 618 9081

Webinar password: 2025

Join by phone: 855-282-6330 United States Toll Free or 415-655-0002 United States toll with access code 248 561 89081

Date and time: Wednesday, December 10, 2025, 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time

Join link: <https://cpuc.webex.com/cpuc/j.php?MTID=mb4969e4db608a1acf76929c0ac7deb6e>

Webinar number: 2482 278 3272

Webinar password: 2025

Join by phone: 855-282-6330 United States Toll Free 415-655-0002 United States Toll with access code 248 227 83272.

- 4. Participants** - Webex Link and Telephone Number (with Passcode) for Panelists for audio and video:

- Persons planning to speak at the conference must state their intent to attend the conference by e-mailing James Donovan at James.Donovan@cpuc.ca.gov their name, title, party, email, and phone number of the intended speakers for the status conference no later than December 5, 2025.
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5. Advance Distribution of Exhibits (including cross-examination exhibits)

SDG&E shall serve the service list the updated exhibit list with cross-examination exhibits to be used during the evidentiary hearings by 5:30 p.m., the day prior to the hearing day. The same exhibits shall be uploaded to the Commission's Supporting Documents Platform when served. The deadline of 5:30 p.m., two days before use at the hearing, will be adhered to for distributing cross-examination exhibits to the service list. Failure to provide cross-examination exhibits by the deadline will likely result in delay of the witness's testimony.

Exhibits shall be labeled using an acronym for the sponsoring party, followed by sequential numbering (e.g., SDG&E-01). Confidential exhibits should be labeled with the same number as the public version of the exhibit, followed by the letter “C” (e.g., SDG&E-01-C).

Parties shall bring three copies of each exhibit to the evidentiary hearing.

6. Updated Witness Lists

In consultation with the parties, SDG&E will provide to the service list an updated witness/cross-examination list by **5:30 p.m. the day before the hearing** that includes the schedule and order of witnesses and cross-examination for the evidentiary hearing.

D. Briefs

To the fullest extent reasonably possible, all parties shall use the same outline for opening briefs and reply briefs. Parties should agree on a common outline for briefs and bring any unresolved disputes to the attention of the ALJ. Parties are requested to assist the Commission by submitting an updated summary of recommendations as an attachment to their opening briefs. This update should include: (1) a summary of the party’s position on each issue, (2) further references as appropriate to exhibits, transcript pages, or other documents, and (3) any other information the party considers necessary and useful to present its position.

The briefing schedule shall be confirmed at the end of the hearing.

E. Exhibit Corrections and Errata

To the extent possible, the final version of each exhibit should include any necessary corrections. A redline version showing the corrections should also be uploaded to Supporting Documents. The Exhibit List should link to the final version of the exhibit (not to the previous version) and to the redline version. Corrected exhibits shall be labeled as directed by the ALJ, for example, with the same number as the exhibit followed by a dash and the letter “E”, the corrected version of A&B-1 would be labeled A&B-1-E. The corrected exhibit and redline exhibit should be served on the service list immediately following identification of the need for correction.

It is so ruled.

The Commission’s Docket Office shall formally file this ruling.

John H. Larsen

Administrative Law Judge

California Public Utilities Commission

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