

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA



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Application of San Diego Gas & Electric  
Company (U 902 M) to Revise its 2024-  
2031 Energy Efficiency Portfolio

**MOTION FOR PARTY STATUS OF  
THE CALIFORNIA EFFICIENCY + DEMAND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

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**I. INTRODUCTION**

In accordance with Rule 1.4(b) of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the California Public Utilities Commission (the “Commission”), The California Efficiency + Demand Management Council (the “Council”) respectfully submits this motion requesting party status in the above captioned proceeding.

**II. INTEREST IN THE PROCEEDING**

**A. Description of the Council**

The Council is a statewide trade association of non-utility businesses that provide energy efficiency (“EE”), demand response (“DR”), and data analytics services and products in California.<sup>1</sup> Our member companies employ many thousands of Californians throughout the state. They include EE, DR and distributed energy resources (“DER”) service providers, implementation and evaluation experts, energy service companies, engineering and architecture firms, contractors, financing experts, workforce training entities, and energy efficient product manufacturers. The Council’s mission is to support appropriate EE, DR, and DER policies, programs, and technologies to create sustainable jobs, long-term economic growth, stable and reasonably priced energy infrastructures, and environmental improvement.

**B. Interest in the Proceeding**

The Council requests party status in this proceeding because the issues raised by SDG&E’s proposed revisions to its 2024-2031 Energy Efficiency Business Plan directly

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<sup>1</sup> Additional information about the Council, including the organization’s current membership, Board of Directors, antitrust guidelines and code of ethics for its members, can be found at <http://www.cedmc.org>. The views expressed by the Council are not necessarily those of its individual members.

affect the design, delivery, scale and long-term performance of statewide and utility-administered efficiency and demand management programs.

The Council has a direct interest in ensuring that SDG&E's proposed business plan revisions are consistent with Commission decisions, statutory directives, and best practices for achieving measurable, durable, and cost-effective demand-side resource outcomes. The Council's participation will provide the Commission with practical, implementation-focused perspectives on market capabilities, delivery risks, measurement and verification consideration, and opportunities to improve program effectiveness.

The Council's participation will help ensure that the Commission has a balanced record reflecting the operational impact of the proposed plan on the broader efficiency and demand management community.

### **III. NOTICE**

Service of notices, orders, and other correspondence in this proceeding should be directed to the Council at the address set forth below:

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### **IV. CONCLUSION**

The Council's participation in this proceeding will not prejudice any party and will not delay the schedule or broaden the scope of the issues in the proceeding. For the reasons stated above, the Council respectfully requests that the CPUC grant this Motion for Party Status filing

Dated: April 24, 2026

Respectfully submitted,

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