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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Association of Bay Area Governments (CPUC ID 941) for Approval of the Bay Area Regional Energy Network 2028-2031 Portfolio Plan and 2028-2035 Business Plan.

Application 26-03-009

And Related Matters.

Application 26-03-010

Application 26-03-011

Application 26-03-012

Application 26-03-013

Application 26-03-014

Application 26-03-015

Application 26-03-017

Application 26-03-018

Application 26-03-019

Application 26-03-020

Application 26-03-021

Application 26-03-028

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING DIRECTING SUBMISSION OF
CORRECTIONS AND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION FROM ALL
BUSINESS PLAN APPLICANTS**

This ruling directs Bay Area Regional Energy Network, Southern California Edison Company, Tri-County Regional Energy Network, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Northern California Rural Regional Energy Network, Marin Clean Energy, Southern California Regional Energy Network, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Regional

Energy Network, Central California Rural Regional Energy Network, WestLight Energy, and Inland Regional Energy Network (all applicants) to submit amended total system benefit and cost-effectiveness values using corrected Avoided Cost Calculator/Cost Effectiveness Test tool inputs; and any non-substantive corrections to program names, values, segments, or other information included in their business plan applications.¹ All corrections shall be submitted via updated Budget Filing Appendices, California Energy Data and Reporting System (CEDARS) forecast updates, program cards, and narrative substitute sheets for each applicant's Exhibit 1. All amendments and/or corrections shall be submitted no later than September 18, 2026.

This ruling also directs all applicants in this consolidated proceeding to submit supplemental testimony addressing the following:

1. Does your business plan application consider the impact of the California Air Resource Board's (CARB) potential new rules on Clean Space and Water Heater Standards, or other regional standards? If not, how would your business plan application need to be adjusted if CARB's current proposal is adopted, effective in 2030?
2. Provide a third-party solicitation schedule and timeline from 2028 to 2031. Use the solicitation schedule posted to the California Energy Efficiency Coordinating Committee website, available at <https://www.caeecc.org/market-rate-ee-r25-04-101>, for reference and required fields.

¹ On July 2, 2026, Peninsula Clean Energy Authority provided notice of name change to WestLight Energy.

All applicants shall serve their supplemental testimony no later than September 25, 2026.

IT IS SO RULED.

Dated September 2, 2026, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ VALERIE U. KAO
Valerie U. Kao
Administrative Law Judge