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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of San Diego Gas &
Electric Company (U902M) for
Approval of Smart Meter 2.0 Proposal.

Application 25-12-012

**EMAIL RULING GRANTING JOINT MOTION AND
FURTHER AMENDING PROCEEDING SCHEDULE**

Dated October 19, 2026, at San Francisco, California.

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On October 6, 2026, the Utility Consumers' Action Network, The Utility Reform Network, and Small Business Advocates Office (collectively, Joint Movants) filed a motion to direct San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) to serve supplemental testimony "comparing its proposal with the alternative its incumbent vendor offered in 2025, and to set a schedule under which that testimony and the parties' responses enter the record before it closes" (Joint Motion). SDG&E filed a response to the Joint Motion on October 9, 2026. Pursuant to the Administrative Law Judge's October 9, 2026 e-mail ruling, on October 14, 2026, SDG&E, on behalf of itself, the Joint Movants, the Public Advocates Office at the Commission, Clean Energy Alliance and San Diego

Community Power, and Mission:data Coalition (collectively, Parties) filed a joint statement reporting on the results of the meet and confer to discuss the submission of supplemental testimony (Joint Statement).

The Joint Statement describes the agreed-upon scope of supplemental testimony set forth in Appendix B to the Joint Motion and includes several different meter replacement scenarios which vary by the platform option, meter replacement strategy, and meter failure forecast. The Joint Statement also includes proposed amendments to the procedural schedule to accommodate the development and review of the agreed-upon “Appendix B” topics.

The additional meter replacement scenarios agreed-upon by the Parties will provide useful points of comparison to the Smart Meter 2.0 program proposed in SDG&E’s application, ensuring the proceeding record contains sufficient information to support meaningful review. Further, it is reasonable to provide additional time for SDG&E to prepare, and parties to review, the additional Appendix B topics and model runs.

Therefore, the Joint Motion is granted. SDG&E is directed to prepare supplemental testimony on the Appendix B topics, as described in the October 14, 2026 Joint Statement. Further, the proceeding schedule is amended as follows:

Event	Date
Prepared Rebuttal Testimony (Including Agreed-Upon Supplemental "Appendix B" Topics)	November 20, 2026
Intervenor Sur-Rebuttal (Limited to “Appendix B” Topics)	January 8, 2027
SDG&E Sur-Reply to Intervenor Sur-Rebuttal (Limited to “Appendix B” Topics)	February 5, 2027
Parties Meet and Confer (Rule 13.9)	February 12, 2027
Parties Joint Case Management Statement and Motion for Evidentiary Hearing (If Necessary)	February 19, 2027
Status Conference	February 24, 2027

Evidentiary Hearing (If Necessary)	March 1 - 4, 2027
Opening Briefs	April 29, 2027
Reply Briefs	May 27, 2027
Proposed Decision	Q3 2027

It is so ruled.

THE DOCKET OFFICE SHALL FORMALLY FILE THIS RULING.

Ehren Seybert for Patrick Petersen
Administrative Law Judge
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