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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Joint Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) For the 2024 Nuclear Decommissioning Cost Triennial Proceeding.	Application 24-12-003

ORDER EXTENDING STATUTORY DEADLINE

Summary

This decision extends the statutory deadline in this proceeding to December 31, 2026.

1. Background and Justification

Public Utilities Code (Pub. Util. Code) Section 1701.5(a) provides that the Commission shall resolve the issues raised in the scoping memo of a ratesetting proceeding within 18 months of the date the proceeding is initiated unless the Commission makes a written determination that the deadline cannot be met and issues an order extending the deadline. The current statutory deadline for resolving this proceeding is October 30, 2026.

On December 6, 2024, Southern California Edison Company (SCE) and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) filed the *Joint Application of*

Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for the 2024 Nuclear Decommission Cost Triennial Proceeding Application (A.) 24-12-003 with the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission).

On March 6, 2025, the assigned Administrative Law Judge held a prehearing conference to address the issues of law and fact, determine the need for hearing, set the schedule for resolving the matter, and to address other matters as necessary.

On June 3, 2025, the assigned Commissioner issued a scoping memo and ruling which set forth the issues, need for evidentiary hearing , schedule, and other necessary matters. *Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Regarding Document Only Evidence Process and Briefing Schedule* was issued on October 2, 2025, setting opening brief and reply brief deadlines for January 15, 2026 and February 6, 2026, respectively. On May 13, 2026, Decision 26-05-025 extended the statutory deadline in this proceeding to October 30, 2026.

Oral argument before a quorum of Commissioners occurred on August 10, 2026.[1] SCE and SDG&E's joint final oral argument statement was filed on August 17, 2026.[2]

On October 21, 2026, the proceeding was reassigned from Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Andrea D. McGary to ALJ Jack Chang. Therefore, an extension

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[1]. See *Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Granting Alliance For Nuclear Responsibility's Motion For Oral Argument and Noticing In-Person Oral Argument, and Related Deadlines* (June 30, 2026).

[2] See *Oral Argument Final Statement Of Southern California Edison Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company* (U 902-E) (August 17, 2026).

of the current statutory deadline to December 31, 2026 is necessary to allow adequate time for a proposed decision to be issued in this proceeding.

2. Waiver of Comment Period

Under Rule 14.6(c)(4) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the Commission may waive the otherwise applicable 30-day period for public review and comment on a decision that extends the 18-month deadline set forth in Pub. Util. Code § 1701.5. Under the circumstances of this proceeding, it is appropriate to waive the 30-day period for public review and comment.

3. Assignment of Proceeding

Darcie L. Houck is the assigned Commissioner and Jack Chang is the assigned Administrative Law Judge in this proceeding.

Findings of Fact

1. A.24-12-003 was filed on December 6, 2024.
2. The current statutory deadline for resolving A.24-12-003 is October 30, 2026.
3. A.24-12-003 cannot be completed by October 30, 2026.
4. An extension of the statutory deadline until December 31, 2026, is necessary to allow adequate time to complete this proceeding.

Conclusion of Law

1. Pursuant to the authority granted to the Commission under Pub. Util. Code Section 1701.5(a), the statutory deadline should be extended to December 31, 2026.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that the statutory deadline for completion of this proceeding is extended until December 31, 2026.

This order is effective today.

Dated_____, Sacramento, California.