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April 22, 2010

Donald Johnson  
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RE: SCE Antelope-Pardee 500 kV Transmission Project, Segment 1 – Fiber Relocation

Dear Mr. Johnson,

On April 16, 2010, Southern Californian Edison (SCE) submitted a request to modify the Antelope-Pardee 500 kV Transmission Project, Segment 1, as follows:

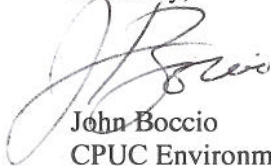
**Relocation of the Antelope-Quartz Hill Fiber Optic Cable (#07015):** The existing Antelope-Quartz Hill fiber optic cable is located within the approved substation expansion footprint as specified by Notices to Proceed (NTP) #24 and #26. To avoid conflicts with facilities associated with the substation expansion, the fiber optic cable must be relocated to a position outside of the substation footprint. An additional approximately 1,200 feet of underground ductbank would need to be installed outside of the existing Antelope Substation, and an additional 330 feet of underground ductbank would need to be installed inside the substation to complete the communication path.

A Final EIR was prepared and published for the SCE Antelope-Pardee 500 kV Transmission Project, Segment 1, and the Final EIR was certified and a CPCN granted by the CPUC (Docket #A.04-12-007, SCH #2005061161) on March 1, 2007. Since that time, SCE has completed final engineering and the majority of construction of the Project, and is currently working on the Antelope Substation 66 kV transmission line relocation. As presented in a letter to the CPUC from SCE dated April 16, 2010, requesting the subject change, the fiber optic relocation was not included in the request for NTP #24. An Addendum was prepared to assess the environmental impacts associated with the subject modification. No new impacts or increase in impact severity were identified.

**This request is approved by CPUC for the proposed modification subject to the conditions noted below which shall be met by SCE and its contractors:**

- All project mitigation measures, compliance plans, and permit conditions shall be implemented during construction activities.
- Copies of all relevant permits, compliance plans, and this approval shall be available on site for the duration of construction activities.

Sincerely,

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CPUC Environmental Project Manager

cc: V. Strong, Aspen