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Dalton Cobb
Project Manager
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RE: Aliso Canyon Turbine Replacement Project – Notice to Proceed (NTP)-B for partial installation of Telecommunications Route #3

Dear Mr. Cobb:

Southern California Edison (SCE) has requested authorization from the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to commence construction on select activities for the Aliso Canyon Turbine Replacement Project (Aliso). Under NTPR-B, part of Telecommunications Route #3 would be constructed, from San Fernando Substation to the temporary San Fernando Substation Tap. This would include installation of underground conduit, temporary installation of a fiber pedestal, and installation of telecommunications cable in underground conduit and overhead on existing poles. Construction for this NTP will be confined to the following activities:

Telecommunications Components

- Telecommunications Route #3
 - Install approximately 110 feet of telecommunications cable in new underground conduit installed in an existing trench within San Fernando Substation
 - Install approximately 2,000 feet of telecommunications cable along the north side of San Fernando Mission Boulevard
 - Install risers and splice enclosures on existing infrastructure as necessary
 - Install one anchor and down guy for a pole within San Fernando Substation
 - Install one down guy between an existing pole and an existing anchor located outside but adjacent to San Fernando Substation

- San Fernando Substation Tap¹
 - Permanently install approximately 210 feet of new underground conduit in a trench approximately 2 feet wide by 3 feet deep
 - Install temporarily (for a period of approximately 2 years) a new RLH type or equivalent fiber pedestal
 - Install temporarily risers on existing wood poles as necessary
 - Install temporarily (for a period of approximately 2 years) approximately 210 feet of fiber optic telecommunications cable through the new, permanently-installed underground conduit described above. Removal would utilize equipment on the surface, and would require no ground disturbance.
 - Install one anchor and down guy for a pole along San Fernando Boulevard in the vicinity of the tap location

These activities are further described in the Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) for Aliso [as adopted by the CPUC (Decision 13-11-023)], and in SCE's NTPR-B² (final revision dated February 23, 2015) (Attachment 1).

NTP-B is granted by CPUC for the proposed construction activities based on the following factors:

- SCE will comply with all the Applicant Proposed Measures (APM) and Mitigation Measures (MM) included in the Mitigation, Monitoring, Compliance, and Reporting Program (MMCRP) for Aliso. All project compliance plans and permit conditions shall be implemented during construction activities. Some measures are on-going/time-sensitive requirements and shall be implemented prior to and during construction where applicable.
- Preconstruction clearance surveys for biological, cultural, and paleontological resources will be conducted as appropriate prior to construction activities.
- Copies of all relevant permits, compliance plans (i.e., MMCRP, SWPPP, etc.), and this Notice to Proceed shall be available on-site for the duration of construction activities. Copies of permits shall be provided to the CPUC upon request.
- All crew personnel shall be appropriately trained on environmental issues, including requirements of the MMCRP, prior to starting work on the right-of-way. A log shall be

¹ Note: Installation of the San Fernando Substation Tap was not included in the FEIR. These project components will be approved through a Minor Project Refinement (MPR) process; MPR-C (for these project components) is being submitted with NTPR-B.

² NTPR-B: Installation of Telecommunication Cable on the San Fernando Substation Tap

maintained on-site with the names of all crew personnel trained and made available to the CPUC upon request.

- No movement or staging of construction vehicles or equipment shall be allowed outside of the approved workspace areas.

Sincerely,



Andrew Barnsdale
CPUC Project Manager

Cc:

Lara Rachowicz, E & E Project Manager
Chris May, Southern California Edison Environmental Coordinator
Christine McLeod, Southern California Edison Principal Advisor
Seth Rosenberg, SoCalGas Environmental Coordinator

Attachment 1: Aliso Canyon Turbine Replacement Project Notice to Proceed Request B:
Installation of Telecommunication Cable on the San Fernando Substation Tap