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Re: Data Request No. 4 for the Mesa 500-kV Substation Project (CPUC Proceeding A. 15-03-003)

Mr. Horne:

Upon further review of Southern California Edison's Proponent's Environmental Assessment (PEA) and SCE's revisions to the draft project description for the Mesa 500-kV Substation Project EIR, the Energy Division requests the information contained in Attachment 1 to this letter. In an effort to expedite scheduling per SCE's request, we request that the responses to this item be provided to us within 14 days.

The Energy Division reserves the right to request additional information at any point in the process. Questions relating to the Mesa 500-kV Substation Project should be directed to me at (415) 703-1966 or lisa.orsaba@cpuc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

MJ Orsaba

Lisa Orsaba,
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Energy Division

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Attachment 1: Data Request #4

Item #	Reference/ Page #	Title	Request
Data Request #4 Q.01	N/A	**Number of Groundwater Monitoring Wells**	SCE has indicated that it would decommission ten groundwater monitoring wells as part of the proposed project. An Operating Industries, Inc. (OII) representative indicated to CPUC that SCE requested that OII decommission a total of eleven wells. Confirm the number of wells that would be decommissioned as part of the proposed project.
Data Request #4 Q.02	N/A	**Location of Groundwater Monitoring Wells**	Provide the location of groundwater monitoring wells that would be decommissioned as part of the proposed project.
Data Request #4 Q.03	N/A	**Schedule for decommissioning**	Provide the following regarding groundwater well decommissioning: A. When would groundwater well decommissioning occur during project construction? B. What is the anticipated duration of work at each well?
Data Request #4 Q.04	N/A	**Construction equipment list for monitoring well decommissioning**	Provide a list of construction equipment that will be used to decommission the groundwater monitoring wells.
Data Request #4 Q.05	N/A	**Vehicle trips for monitoring well decommissioning**	State the number of additional truck or vehicle trips required for groundwater monitoring well decommissioning activities.
Data Request #4 Q.06	N/A	**air emissions estimates for monitoring well decommissioning activities**	Provide air emissions estimates for work associated with decommissioning the groundwater monitoring wells.
Data Request #4 Q.07	N/A	**Greenhouse gas emissions estimates for monitoring well decommissioning activities**	Provide greenhouse gas emissions estimates for work associated with decommissioning the groundwater monitoring wells.
Data Request #4 Q.8	N/A	**Estimated temporary work area disturbance per well**	State the estimated dimensions of disturbance around each groundwater monitoring well that would occur during groundwater monitoring well decommissioning.

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Data Request #4 Q.9	N/A	**Water well on Mesa Substation Site**	SCE has indicated that an inactive water well within the proposed project area would be abandoned prior to construction by the end of 2015 as part of an ongoing SCE program. Provide the following information: A. Location of the well B. Name of the SCE program/procedure under which the inactive oil well would be abandoned
Data Request #4 Q.10	N/A	**Oil wells on the Mesa Substation site**	SCE has indicated that three oil production wells are located on the Substation site. SCE indicated that it has obtained confirmation that two of these wells have been properly abandoned and that the third would be abandoned in the first quarter of 2016 as part of an ongoing SCE program. Provide the following information: A. Location of the three oil wells, including distinction of which two are abandoned B. Documentation that the two abandoned oil wells were properly abandoned C. Name of the SCE program/procedure under which the inactive oil well would be abandoned