

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

CALifornians for Renewable Energy, Inc.
(CARE)

v.

Docket No. EL10-84-000

Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Southern California Edison Company
San Diego Gas & Electric Company
California Public Utilities Commission

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

(September 1, 2010)

Take notice that on September 1, 2010, pursuant to the Federal Power Act, 16 USC 824d, 824e, 825e, and 825h (2008) and Rule 206 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.206, (2010), CALifornians for Renewable Energy, Inc. (Complainant) filed a complaint against Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and the California Public Utilities Commission (Collectively Respondents), alleging that the Respondents are violating the Federal Power Act by approving contracts for capacity and energy that exceeds the utilities' avoided cost cap and which also usurps the Commission's exclusive jurisdiction to determine the wholesale rates for electricity under its jurisdiction.

Complainant states that copies of the complaint were served upon Respondents and other interested parties.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. The Respondent's answer and all interventions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

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Comment Date: 5:00 pm Eastern Time on September 21, 2010.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.