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CPUC Energy Division Attention: Tariff Unit 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4005 San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: Substitute Sheets for SDG&E Advice Letter 2221-E/2001-G, Revisions to Tariff Rules for Small Business Customers Pursuant to D.10-10-032

Please find enclosed the original and four copies of Sheet Numbers 22132-E, 22128-E and 18561-G for Advice Letter (AL) 2221-E/2001-G. Subsequent to filing, Energy Division requested that SDG&E clarify language in Rule 6, Section C.2 between gas and electric:

Electric Rule 6, Sheet 2, Section C.5 last sentence currently reads:

"Such letter shall inform the customer that a deposit to re-establish credit may be required if future payments are not received by the Utility in a timely manner"

This last sentence will be modified to read:

"Such letter shall inform the customer that a deposit to re-establish credit may be required if <u>another late payment occurs within the same twelve-month period</u>."

Additionally, the following correction will be made to Form 132-122010 to correct the spelling of "Government" on sheet number 22132-E.

An asterisk has been reflected in the upper right corner of the sheet referenced above.

The attached substitute sheet is being served to interested parties in R.10-05-005.

Sincerely,

Megan Caulson Rates, Regulations & Tariffs

22128-E

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San Diego Gas & Electric Company San Diego, California

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RULE 6

20224-E Sheet 2

ESTABLISHMENT AND RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF CREDIT

C. Re-establishment of Credit - All Classes of Service

- An applicant who is a former customer of the Utility and whose service has been 1. discontinued for nonpayment of bills at any time during the last 12 months of service may be required to re-establish credit by making a cash deposit as prescribed in Rule 7.
- 2 A current customer who fails to pay bills before becoming past due as set forth in Rule 11, may be required to pay such bills and to re-establish credit by making a cash deposit as prescribed in Rule 7. This Rule will apply regardless of whether or not service has been disconnected for such non-payment; except, a Small Business Customer, as defined in Rule 1, may not be required to reestablish credit if such bills are for retroactive charges resulting from a meter error or billing error as prescribed in Rule 18. Pursuant to D.10-10-032, small business customers shall receive one warning letter per 12-month period after at least one late payment and prior to any deposit request from the Utility. Such letter shall inform the customer that a deposit to re-establish credit may be required if another late payment occurs within the same twelve-month period.
- A customer using non-residential service may be required to re-establish credit at one or 3. more of its locations in accordance with this Rule if the conditions of service or basis on which credit was originally established, in the opinion of the Utility, have materially changed or the Utility believes a condition of high risk exists.
- Where the Utility has received information that a residential customer left another Utility's 4. service territory with an unpaid closing bill, the customer may be required, as a condition of continued service, to re-establish credit in accordance with this Rule.
- 5. Pursuant to D.10-10-032, Small Business customers shall not be subject to a reestablishment of service deposit when failure to pay results from charges that were backbilled in the prior three months.

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16448-G Sheet 2

RULE 6 ESTABLISHMENT AND RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF CREDIT

Establishment of Credit - Non-Residential Service

Before receiving such service, each applicant shall be required to establish credit as follows:

- 1. By making a cash deposit as prescribed in Rule 7; or
- 2. By furnishing a qualified guarantor to secure payment of bills as prescribed in Rule 7; or
- 3. By having been a non-residential customers for a similar type of service within the last two years and having paid all bills for service in accordance with the provisions of Rule 9 for the most recent 12 consecutive months of such service provided, however, that the customer's creditworthiness has not changed significantly since terminating service with the Utility. The billing for service consumed at the applicant's former service location shall have been equal to at least 50 percent of billing estimated for the new service location; or
- 4. By otherwise establishing credit to the satisfaction of the Utility.

C. <u>Re-establishment of Credit – All Classes of Service</u>

- 1. An applicant who is a former customer of the Utility and whose service has been discontinued for nonpayment of bills at any time during the last 12 months of that service may be required to re-establish credit by making a cash deposit as prescribed in Rule 7.
- 2. A current customer who fails to pay bills before becoming past due as set forth in Rule 11 may be required to pay such bills and to re-establish credit by making a cash deposit as prescribed in Rule 7. This Rule will apply regardless of whether or not service has been discontinued for such non-payment; except, a Small Business Customer, as defined in Rule 1, may not be required to reestablish credit if such bills are for retroactive charges resulting from a meter error or billing error as prescribed in Rule 18. Pursuant to D.10-10-032, small business customers shall receive one warning letter per 12-month period prior to any deposit request after at least one late payment, which informs that a deposit to re-establish credit may be required if another late payment occurs within the same twelve-month period.
- 3. A customer using non-residential service may be required re-establish credit at one or more of its locations in accordance with this Rule if the conditions of service or basis upon which credit was originally established, in the opinion of the Utility, have materially changed or the Utility believes a condition of high risk exists.
- 4. Where the Utility has received information that a residential customer left another utility's service territory with an unpaid closing bill, the customer may be required, as a condition of continued service, to re-establish credit in accordance with this Rule.
- 5. Pursuant to D.10-10-032, Small Business customers shall not be subject to a reestablishment of service deposit when failure to pay results from charges that were backbilled in the prior three months.

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SAMPLE FORMS FORM 132-122010

SMALL BUSINESS AFFIDAVIT

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF CUSTOMER CLAIM AS

QUALIFYING AS A MICRO BUSINESS CUSTOMER UNDER

GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 14837

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