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# AND ELECTRIC (U 902 M)

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In accordance with Rule 8.3 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and

Procedure, Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) and San Diego Gas and

Electric (SDG&E) hereby gives notice of the following *Ex Parte* communication in the above proceeding.

On Wednesday, August 17, 2011, at 10:00am in the Commission's offices in San Francisco, Brian Prusnek, Director of Regulatory Affairs, met with Sepideh Khosrowjah, Chief of Staff to Commissioner Florio. The communication was initiated by SoCalGas and SDG&E to discuss the companies' Pipeline Safety Implementation Plan (PSEP) that will be filed on August 26, 2011. The meeting lasted approximately 50 minutes. Communication was oral and written. Mr. Prusnek discussed the attached presentation (which was originally prepared on August 3<sup>rd</sup>), but noted that some aspects of the presentation may change between August 3<sup>rd</sup> and when the PSEP is filed. Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011, at San Francisco, California.

Respectfully submitted,

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