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The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) today issued its Quarterly Staff Report on California's Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS), one of the most ambitious in the country, which requires investor-owned utilities, electric service providers, and community choice aggregators to procure 20 percent of their power from renewable sources by 2010. In 2011, Senate Bill 2 increased the renewable target to 33 percent by 2020.

The report is available at www.cpuc.ca.gov/renewables under Recent Updates.

Highlights of the report include:

- Collectively, the large investor-owned utilities reported that they served 17 percent of their electricity with RPS-eligible generation in 2010.
 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company: 15.9%
 - Southern California Edison: 19.3%
 - San Diego Gas & Electric: 11.9
- To date, 2,541 megawatts (MW) of new renewable energy is in use under the RPS program. More than 830 MW of new renewable capacity has come online in 2011, with an additional 166 MW forecasted to come online by the end of the year.
- The investor-owned utilities have submitted 49 contracts representing 3,133 MW of renewable generation in 2011. In the same time period, the CPUC approved seven contracts representing 951 MW of renewable generation.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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