

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

Pacific Gas and Electric Company)
San Diego Gas & Electric Company) Docket No. QM11-2-000
Southern California Edison Company)

**NOTIFICATION OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF TERMINATION OF MANDATORY
PURCHASE OBLIGATION UNDER THE PUBLIC UTILITY REGULATORY
POLICIES ACT OF PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, SAN DIEGO GAS &
ELECTRIC COMPANY AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY**

In compliance with Ordering Paragraph B of *Order Granting Application to Terminate Purchase Obligation*,¹ issued herein on June 16, 2011 (“*Termination Order*”), Southern California Edison Company (“SCE”), Pacific Gas and Electric Company (“PG&E”), and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (“SDG&E”) (collectively, “Joint Applicants”) hereby notify the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“Commission”) that the actual effective date of the termination of the mandatory purchase obligation under the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act (“PURPA”) 16 U.S.C. § 824a-3(m) for qualifying facilities (“QFs”) with a net capacity in excess of 20 MW is July 18, 2011. In support hereof, Joint Applicants state as follows:

In their Application, the Joint Applicants requested that the Commission delay the effective date of the termination of the PURPA mandatory purchase obligation until after the California Public Utilities Commission (“CPUC”) issued a final and non-appealable decision approving an all-party Settlement Agreement.² The CPUC approved the Settlement Agreement in Decision (“D.”) 10-12-035. In D.11-03-051, issued on March 25, 2011, the CPUC modified

¹ *Pacific Gas and Electric Company, et al.*, 135 FERC ¶61,234, *mimeo* at 11 (June 16, 2011).

² Application at 41-42.

D.10-12-035, affirmed the decision as modified, and otherwise denied applications for rehearing of D.10-12-035.

A petition for modification and applications for rehearing of the Decision were filed. The Decision was modified as requested by the Settling Parties by D.11-10-016, which was issued on October 11, 2011. The last day for filing an application for rehearing of this decision is November 10, 2011 and no applications for rehearing were filed.

The last remaining application for rehearing was denied by D.11-10-043 on October 24, 2011. The last day for filing a judicial appeal is November 23, 2011, and no request to review D.11-10-043 was filed. Accordingly, the CPUC decisions approving the Settlement Agreement became final on November 23, 2011. On November ____, 2011, the CPUC issued a letter [?] confirming the Settlement Effective Date of November 23, 2011. (The CPUC's letter is attached.)

As noted, the Commission issued the *Termination Order* on June 16, 2011. No applications for rehearing were filed within 30 days of issuance of the Termination Order.³ Accordingly, the *Termination Order* became final and non-appealable on July 18, 2011, and all conditions precedent to the effectiveness of the Settlement Agreement have been met.⁴

In view of the foregoing, Joint Applicants here notify the Commission that the termination of the Joint Applicants' PURPA mandatory purchase obligation for QFs over 20 MW net capacity on a service territory-wide basis is effective on November 23, 2011.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Joint Applicants,

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³ 18 C.F.R. §713(b).

⁴ Settlement Agreement Term Sheet, 16.2.1.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 19th day of July, 2011.
