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I love the donkey part.

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From: Clanon, Paul
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Subject: Announcing New Policy and Planning Division Director Marzia Zafar

I'm pleased to announce that Marzia Zafar has been selected as the permanent Director for Policy & Planning Division effective immediately. She's been the interim Director since April.

Marzia joined the Commission in June 2007 as Chief of Staff to Commissioner Simon. Most recently she managed the Commission's Business & Community Outreach Branch. Marzia has been in the regulatory and energy industries for over sixteen years. She started her career with Southern California Gas Company as a cost accountant, then moved to regulatory case management where she focused on cases related to the energy crisis of 2000-2001, affiliate transactions, general rate cases, and also gas industry restructuring.

Marzia was born in Kabul, Afghanistan and came to the United States in 1984, after traveling on foot and donkey to Pakistan. She went to high school in Redlands, California, and studied Accounting at both San Diego State University, and California State University, San Bernardino. She's a huge sports fan with particular dedication and loyalty to the Clippers and Dodgers.

Please join me in welcoming Marzia to her challenging new position.