

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking Regarding
Policies, Procedures and Rules for the
California Solar Initiative, the Self-
Generation Incentive Program and Other
Distributed Generation Issues.

Rulemaking 12-11-005

**MOTION FOR PARTY STATUS FOR
Elke Brazel**

October 23, 2013

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Elke Brazel respectfully moves for party status in this proceeding in accordance with Rule 1.4 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the California Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”).

I. DESCRIPTION OF PARTY

I am a homeowner with a small 3.5kW grid tied battery backup photovoltaic system. I am a physicist not employed by any installer, equipment manufacturer, utility, or government entity.

II. STATEMENT OF INTEREST IN THIS PROCEEDING

I have direct experience with and understanding of grid tied battery backup PV system operation and design. I have been waiting more than five months for an interconnection agreement from Southern California Edison. I appreciate that the Commission is preparing a decision regarding renewable generation, energy storage, and utility interconnection. These experiences and ongoing activities will allow me to offer unique input on the various issues to be resolved in this rulemaking. In addition to filing comments, I contemplate additional appropriate participation as an active party in this proceeding.

III. NOTICE

Service of notices, orders, and other communications and correspondence in this proceeding should be directed to Elke Brazel at the address set forth below:

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IV. CONCLUSION

Elke Brazel's participation in this proceeding will not prejudice any party, and will not delay the schedule or broaden the scope of the issues in the proceeding. For the reasons stated above, I respectfully request that the Commission grant this Motion for Party Status and direct the Commission's Docket Office to accept my reply brief for filing.

Dated: October 23, 2013

Respectfully submitted,

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