

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

In the Matter of the Application of )	Application No. 06-08-010
San Diego Gas & Electric Company )	(Filed August 4, 2006)
(U 902-E) for a Certificate of Public )	
Convenience and Necessity for the )	Application No. 05-12-014
Sunrise Powerlink Transmission )	(Filed December 14, 2005)
Project )	
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**REPORT OF THE CITIES OF TEMECULA, HEMET AND MURRIETA  
IN RESPONSE TO ASSIGNED COMMISSIONER’S RULING  
REGARDING CASE MANAGEMENT AND INTERVENOR COMPENSATION**

Pursuant to the Assigned Commissioner’s Ruling Regarding Case Management and Intervenor Compensation filed on July 5, 2006, the Cities of Temecula, Hemet and Murrieta (“Cities”) submit this Report to outline their planned participation in this proceeding and efforts to coordinate with other parties.

The Cities filed a Protest to the Application of the San Diego Gas & Electric Company (“SDG&E”) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) for the Sunrise Powerlink Transmission Project (“Application”) on January 17, 2006. The Protest was based on the Cities’ interests and concerns regarding two of the potential alternatives to the Sunrise Powerlink transmission line advanced by SDG&E: the Imperial Valley – Central – Serrano/Valley alternative (“Full-Loop Alternative”) and the Serrano/Valley – Northern alternative (“Northern Alternative”), which is also sometimes referred to as the Lake Elsinore Advanced Pumped Storage (“LEAPS”) Alternative. SDG&E’s revised application filed on August 4, 2006 (Application No. 06-08-010) classifies the Full Loop and LEAPS Alternatives as “System Alternatives Considered and Eliminated” by SDG&E. The Cities intend to continue to monitor and be involved in this

proceeding to evaluate whether any potential alternatives to the Project would adversely impact their communities and residents. Their level of future participation will depend upon the extent to which such alternatives are considered by the CPUC. Counsel for the Cities will attend the September 13, 2006 Prehearing Conference and will be available to address the Cities' proposed participation in this proceeding.

To comply with the Assigned Commissioner's July 5, 2006 Ruling, counsel for the Cities participated in a conference call with other parties to the proceeding on August 31, 2006. During this call, the parties described their planned participation and discussed how best to coordinate their efforts so as to avoid duplication and promote efficient use of resources. Based on this call, there do not appear to be other parties representing the Cities' interests. Thus, the Cities' participation is clearly distinguishable from that of other parties. The parties agreed to confer again after the September 13, 2006 Prehearing Conference to reassess their positions and further discuss opportunities to coordinate their participation.

Dated: September 6, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that, pursuant to the California Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, I have this day served a true copy of REPORT OF THE CITIES OF TEMECULA, HEMET AND MURRIETA to the parties listed in Attachment A:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2006, at San Francisco, California.

  
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