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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Southern California Edison Company (U338E) for Approval of its 2012- 2014 California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) and Energy Savings Assistance Programs and Budgets.

Application 11-05-017
(Filed May 16, 2011)

And Related Matters.

Application 11-05-018
Application 11-05-019
Application 11-05-020

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANNUAL ESTIMATE OF
CALIFORNIA ALTERNATE RATES FOR ENERGY PROGRAM ELIGIBLE
CUSTOMERS AND RELATED INFORMATION**

On December 21, 2012, the four major investor-owned utilities, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Southern California Gas Company (collectively, IOUs or the Joint Utilities) jointly filed a motion for an extension of time to file the annual estimate of California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) Program eligible customers and related information, from December 31, 2012 until February 11, 2013 (Joint Motion).

Decision 12-08-044, Ordering Paragraph 130, directs the Joint Utilities to file the annual estimate of CARE Program eligible customers and related information by December 31 of each year.

As in the past years, the IOUs present that the requested short extension is necessary to await and collect current and accurate data to prepare for this filing. The IOUs claim that part of the difficulties causing the need for this short extension stems from the need to await the release by the federal Department of Health and Human Services of its updated federal poverty guideline levels. No party has filed an objection or opposition to the Joint Motion.

IT IS RULED that:

1. The Joint Motion seeking an extension of time to file the annual estimate of California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) eligible customers and related information is granted; and
2. The Investor- Owned Utilities shall file the annual estimate of CARE eligible customers and related information by no later than February 11, 2013.

Dated January 10, 2013, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KIMBERLY H. KIM
Kimberly H. Kim
Administrative Law Judge