Stakeholder Comments Template

Please submit comments to <u>regionaltransmission@caiso.com</u> on October 11, 2012.

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Southern California Edison (SCE) appreciates the opportunity to participate in the CAISO 2012/2013 Transmission Planning Process stakeholder meeting. SCE has reviewed the CAISO's reliability assessment preliminary study results and participated in the CAISO stakeholder meetings on September 26 and 27 at the CAISO.

SCE submitted four projects in the CAISO request window and provided a presentation on these projects on September 27; the presentation may be found on the CAISO website at http://www.caiso.com/Documents/SCE2012-2013ProposedSolutions.pdf. These projects are designed to address reliability needs with Huntington Beach units 3 & 4 retired and the potential continued unavailability of San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station units 2 & 3. Per Section 24.4.10 of the CAISO Tariff, transmission upgrades and addition projects with capital costs of \$50 million or less can be approved by CAISO management and may proceed to permitting and construction prior to CAISO Board approval of the transmission plan. SCE requests CAISO management approval of the three projects that are less than \$50 million (Barre – Ellis 230 kV Reconfiguration, Johanna & Santiago 230 kV Capacitor Banks and Viejo 230 kV Capacitor Banks) as soon as practical so that SCE can proceed with these projects expeditiously to address reliability needs identified in 2013. SCE looks forward to reviewing the CAISO's posting of the draft transmission plan in January 2013 and working with the CAISO on any next steps regarding the projects SCE has proposed in the request window.