# Southern California Edison's 2012 Request Window Proposals

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#### **2012 SCE Area Reliability Projects**

- 1. Barre Ellis 230 kV Reconfiguration (Thermal)
- 2. Johanna & Santiago 230 kV Capacitor Banks (Voltage)
- 3. Viejo 230 kV Capacitor Banks (Voltage)
- 4. Orange County Static VAR Compensator (Voltage)

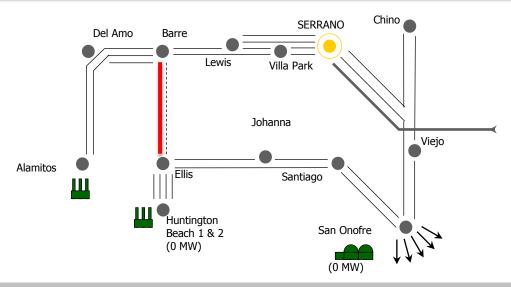
**System Scenario:** In peak 2013, with Huntington Beach 3 & 4 retired, the potential continued unavailability of SONGS 2 & 3 creates reliability violations in Orange County.

# **Barre - Ellis 230 kV Reconfiguration Project**

**Background:** In addition to mitigating the Category C contingency published by the ISO (N. Gila – Imperial Valley 500kV & Barre – Ellis 230kV No. 1 or 2 lines). This project provides operational flexibility for a forced outage of Huntington Beach Units 1 & 2.

With Huntington Beach Units 1 & 2 at 0 MW, Barre-Ellis No. 1 or 2 lines overload under a Category B Contingency.

Pre- Mitigation			
Overloaded Facilities	Contingency	Performance Category	Percentage (4 hr rating)
Barre - Ellis 230 kV No. 1 or 2	Barre - Ellis 230 kV No. 2 or 1	B (L-1)	111%



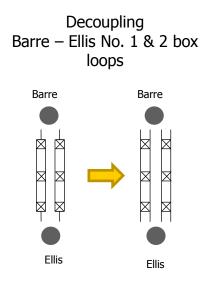
# **Barre - Ellis 230 kV Reconfiguration**

**Project Scope:** This project will reconfigure the Barre - Ellis 230 kV lines from 2 to 4 circuits. The existing Barre- Ellis No. 1 & 2 lines are in a box loop configuration, decoupling the box loop provides more lines eliminating category B contingencies.

A fault on this corridor pre-project would remove 50% of the transmission capacity. Post project, a fault will remove only 25%.

**Critical Contingency Post-Project:** The C.5 contingency does not overload beyond the 15 minute rating and can be addressed by an operating procedure.

#### Expected In Service Date: 06/01/2014

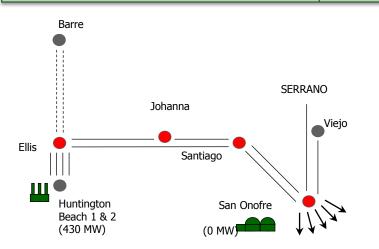


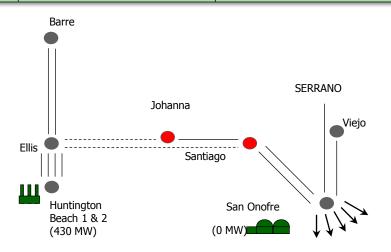
Post-Mitigation			
Overloaded Facilities	Contingency	Performance Category	Percentage (15 min Rating)
Barre - Ellis 230 kV No. 1 & 2 or 3 & 4	Barre - Ellis 230 kV No. 3 & 4 or 1 & 2	C.5 (L-2)	92%

### Johanna & Santiago 230 kV Capacitor Banks

**Background:** The system scenario creates post transient voltage violations for Category C contingencies.

Pre-Mitigation			
	Performance Category	Voltage Deviation	
Contingency		Huntington Beach 1 & 2 In	Huntington Beach 1 & 2 Out
Barre - Ellis 230 kV No. 1 & 2	C.3 (L-1-1)	Ellis: 14% Johanna : 14% Santiago: 14% S.Onofre: 10%	Diverged
Ellis – Johanna & Ellis - Santiago 230 kV	C.5 (L-2)	Johanna : 13% Santiago: 12%	Johanna : 13% Santiago: 12%

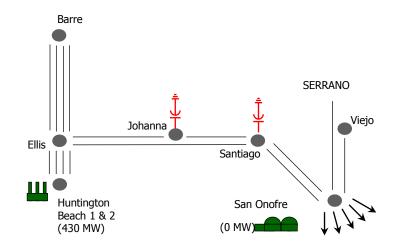




#### Johanna & Santiago 230 kV Capacitor Banks

**Project Scope:** Install one 79.2 MVAR capacitor bank at Johanna and Santiago Substations for a total of 158.4 MVAR of voltage support in southern Orange County.

#### Expected In Service Date: 08/01/2013

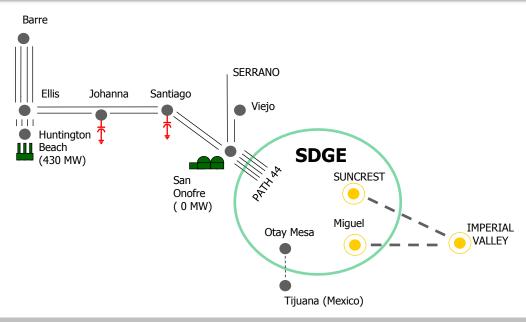


Post-Mitigation			
	Performance Category	Voltage Deviation	
Contingency		Huntington Beach 1 & 2 In	Huntington Beach 1 & 2 Out
Barre - Ellis 230 kV No. 1 & 2	C.3 (L-1-1)	<10%	<10% (with Barre - Ellis 230 kV Reconfiguration)
Ellis - Johanna & Ellis - Santiago 230 kV	C.5 (L-2)	<10%	<10%

# Viejo 230kV Capacitor Banks & Orange County Static VAR Compensator

**Background:** The system scenario creates an interaction between SCE's Orange County area and SDG&E system. Voltage collapse may occur depending on SDGE import levels.

Pre-Mitigation (~2100 MW- SDGE IMPORTS)		
Contingency	Performance Category	Voltage Deviation
Imperial Valley – Suncrest 500 kV & Imperial Valley- Miguel 500 kV (with a cross trip of Otay Mesa- Tijuana 230 kV)	C.3 (L-1-1)	Diverged



#### Viejo 230 kV Capacitor Banks

**Project Scope:** Install two 79.2 MVAR capacitor banks at Viejo Substation for a total of 158.4 MVAR of voltage support in southern Orange County.

**Expected In Service Date:** 09/01/2013

#### Orange County Static VAR Compensator

**Project Scope:** Install +300/-100 MVAR SVC in the electrical vicinity of San Onofre Switchyard. The final SVC size and a more precise operating date are under development.

**Expected In Service Date:** 06/01/2014 (as early as 2014 but more likely by the summer of 2015)

Post-Mitigation (~2200 MW- SDGE IMPORTS)			
Contingency	Performance Category	Voltage Deviation	
Imperial Valley- Miguel 500 kV & Imperial Valley – Suncrest 500 kV/ (with a cross trip of Otay Mesa- Tijuana 230 kV)	C.3 (L-1-1)	<10%	

#### **Summary:**

