

November 22, 2004

The Honorable Magalie Roman Salas Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, DC 20426

Re: Pacific Gas and Electric Company Docket No. ER05-132-000

Dear Secretary Salas:

Enclosed please find an electronic filing of the Motion to Intervene of the California Independent System Operator Corporation.

Thank you for your attention to this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Anthony J. Ivancovich

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Counsel for the California Independent System Operator Corporation

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Pacific Gas and Electric	)	
Company	)	Docket No. ER05-132-000
	)	

# MOTION TO INTERVENE OF THE CALIFORNIA INDEPENDENT SYSTEM OPERATOR CORPORATION

Pursuant to Rule 214 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("Commission"), 18 C.F.R. § 385.214, and the Commission's November 9, 2004 Notice of Filing, the California Independent System Operator Corporation ("ISO") hereby moves to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding. In support thereof, the ISO states as follows:

## I. COMMUNICATIONS

Please address communications concerning this filing to the following persons:

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#### II. BACKGROUND

On November 1, 2004, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) tendered for filing Generator Interconnection Agreements (GIA) between PG&E and each of the Western Area Power Administration's generating plants (New Melones Power Plant, O'Neill (San Luis Forebay) Pumping-Generating Plant, and Share of San Luis (William R. Gianelli) Pumping-Generating Plant).

By its Notice issued November 9, 2004, the Commission established November 22, 2004, as the date motions to intervene are to be filed in the above-captioned proceeding.

#### III. BASIS FOR MOTION TO INTERVENE

The ISO is a non-profit public benefit corporation organized under the laws of the State of California and responsible for the reliable operation of a grid comprising the transmission systems of PG&E, Southern California Edison Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company and the Cities of Vernon,

In addition to Mr. Ivancovich and Mr. Rubin, the ISO respectfully requests that Ms. Le Vine be included in the Official Service List. Mr. Ivancovich and Ms. Le Vine work in separate buildings, and it would be of significant assistance to the ISO if both were included on the list.

Anaheim, Azusa, Banning and Riverside, California. As the operator of this grid,

the ISO believes that it has a unique interest in any Commission proceeding

concerning the issues raised in the captioned proceeding.

IV. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, the ISO respectfully requests that the

Commission permit it to intervene, and that the ISO be accorded full party status

in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this day electronically served the foregoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Dated at Folsom, CA, this 22nd day of November 2004.

<u>/s/ Anthony J. Ivancovich</u> Anthony J. Ivancovich