

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

Southern California Edison Company)

Docket No. ER03-142-000

**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 7, 2002, 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, 2002, as described in the Notice of Filing, Southern California Edison Company (“SCE”) tendered for filing a revision to its Transmission Owner Tariff (“TO Tariff”), FERC Electric Tariff, Substitute First Revised Original Volume No. 6, to reflect a change to SCE’s Reliability Services Rates, and revisions to certain Existing Transmission Contracts (ETC) to provide for the assessment of a charge for Reliability Services to SCE’s ETC customers with loads in SCE’s historic control area.

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 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, the City of Vernon, California, and SCE, as well as for the coordination of the competitive electricity market in California. The transmission revenue requirement at issue in this proceeding will be incorporated into the ISO's Transmission Access Charge and Wheeling Access Charge for transmission service over the ISO Controlled Grid. Moreover, as the operator of this grid, the ISO believes that it has a unique interest in any Commission proceeding concerning the SCE proposals described above.

IV. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, the ISO respectfully requests that the Commission permit it to intervene, and that it be accorded full party status in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: November 22, 2002

¹ In addition to Ms. Solé and Mr. Rubin, the ISO respectfully requests that Ms. Le Vine be included in the Official Service List. Ms. Solé 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.



November 22, 2002

Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: **Southern California Edison Company**
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Dear Secretary Salas:

Enclosed please find an electronic filing in the above-captioned proceeding of the Motion to Intervene of the California Independent System Operator. Thank you for your attention to this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne M. Solé
Counsel for the California Independent
System Operator Corporation

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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

Dated at Folsom, CA, on this 22nd day of November, 2002.

Jeanne M. Solé