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**NOTICE OF EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS REGARDING SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA  
EDISON COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR LOW-INCOME PROGRAMS  
FOR YEARS 2015-2017**

**APPLICATION (A.) 14-11-007, et al.**

**PROPOSAL AFFECTING ELECTRIC RATES**

**Wednesday, June 17, 2015, through Thursday, June 18, 2015**

**10:00 A.M.**

**CPUC Hearing Room, 505 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94102**

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) is currently reviewing Southern California Edison Company's (SCE) request to alter rates for issues related to Low-Income Programs for years 2015-2017. Evidentiary Hearings (EHs) are scheduled for the dates, times, and location shown above.

Any changes to the dates, times, and location of the EHs will be posted to the CPUC's Daily Calendar, which is accessible on the CPUC website at [www.cpuc.ca.gov](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov). The hearing location is wheelchair accessible. Any participant needing a language or Sign interpreter, or other special assistance, should contact the CPUC's Public Advisor's Office (PAO) at the address listed at the bottom of this notice at least five (5) days in advance of the hearing date.

**INFORMATION ABOUT SCE'S PROPOSAL**

On November 18, 2014, SCE proposed to the CPUC approval of its Energy Savings Assistance (ESA) and California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) programs for 2015 – 2017 and budgets for 2016-2017 (In August 2014, the CPUC approved the 2015 budget). SCE seeks funding approval of \$71.35 million for 2016 and \$71.55 million for 2017. These programs provide qualified low-income customers with discounts on their energy bills and free or low cost appliances and other devices to help lower their energy use.

If this application is approved, SCE will collect \$228.496 million in electric revenues for low income programs over the 2015-2017 period. SCE's request in this application is a \$12.563 million net decrease over the amount authorized by the CPUC for these programs for the 2012-2014 program cycle (see CPUC Decision D.12-08-044, as modified by D.14-08-030), which is an average net decrease of \$4.188 million per year.

## **BACKGROUND ON LOW INCOME PROGRAMS**

SCE offers a variety of programs and services to help income-qualified customers reduce their energy bills. The ESA Program helps low-income customers conserve energy and save money by providing free (or substantially discounted) appliances and installation of energy efficient refrigerators, air conditioners and more, as well as home efficiency solutions such as weatherization. More information on SCE's ESA Program can be found online at [www.sce.com/esap](http://www.sce.com/esap). The CARE Program helps ensure electricity is available at affordable rates to qualifying low income customers by providing at least a 30 percent discount on electricity bills. More information on SCE's CARE Program can be found online at [www.sce.com/care](http://www.sce.com/care).

## **EVIDENTIARY HEARINGS**

At these EHs the assigned Administrative Law Judge (Judge) will receive the testimony of representatives from SCE and the other utilities, as well as consumer advocacy groups, and all other parties to this proceeding. These hearings are open to the public, but only those who are parties to the proceeding may present evidence, testimony, and be subject to cross-examination. The hearings and documents submitted during the proceeding become part of the formal record that the Judge relies upon in writing a proposed decision to present to the Commissioners for their consideration.

After considering all proposals and evidence presented during the formal hearing process, the assigned Judge will issue a proposed decision which may adopt SCE's proposal, modify it, or deny it. Any CPUC Commissioner may sponsor an alternate decision. The proposed decision, and any alternate decisions, will be discussed and voted upon at a scheduled CPUC Voting Meeting.

As a party of record, the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA) has reviewed SCE's Application. ORA is the independent consumer advocate within the CPUC with a legislative mandate to represent investor-owned utility customers to obtain the lowest possible rate for service consistent with reliable and safe service levels. ORA has a multi-disciplinary staff with expertise in economics, finance, accounting and engineering. Other parties of record will also participate in the CPUC's proceeding to consider this application. For more information about ORA, please call (415) 703-1584, e-mail [ora@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:ora@cpuc.ca.gov), or visit ORA's website at [www.ora.ca.gov](http://www.ora.ca.gov).

## **FOR FUTHER INFORMATION FROM SCE**

You may review a copy of SCE's Application and related exhibits at SCE's corporate headquarters (2244 Walnut Grove Avenue, Rosemead, CA 91770). You may also view these materials at the following SCE business offices:

1 Pebbly Beach Rd.  
Avalon, CA 90704

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120 Woodland Dr.  
Wofford Heights, CA 93285

6999 Old Woman Springs Rd.  
Yucca Valley, CA 92284

Customers with Internet access may view and download SCE's Application and related exhibits it on SCE's website, [www.sce.com/applications](http://www.sce.com/applications) (type "A.14-11-007" into the Search box and click "Go"). Anyone who would like to obtain more information about the application, please write to:

Southern California Edison Company  
SCE's 2015-2017 ESA & CARE Application (A.14-11-007)  
P.O. Box 800  
2244 Walnut Grove Avenue  
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Attention: Law Dept. – Case Administration

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Phone: 1-866-849-8390 (toll-free) or 1-415-703-2074

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Please reference SCE Application No. A.14-11-007 in any communications you have with the CPUC regarding this matter. All public comments will become part of the public correspondence file for this proceeding and made available for review for the assigned Judge, the Commissioners, and appropriate CPUC staff.