

## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Susan J. Nelson  
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Re: Completeness Review #4, Banducci Substation Proponent's Environmental Assessment

Dear Ms. Nelson,

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) has reviewed Southern California Edison's (SCE) Banducci Substation Project Proponent's Environmental Assessment (PEA) and supplemental information, and has determined that SCE has submitted all necessary information at this time. However, in order to deem the Banducci Substation Project PEA complete, the CPUC requests that SCE re-file the PEA in its entirety in the format of the CPUC's PEA Checklist for Transmission Line Projects (2008). SCE's complete PEA resubmittal should include the information in the original PEA submittal and should incorporate the supplemental information provided by SCE on February 5, April 19, and June 3, 2013 in response to the CPUC's previous completeness reviews. Please note that the checklist allows the applicant to combine the Environmental Setting discussion within each resource area in the Environmental Assessment Summary.

Beginning formally on August 8, 2012, the CPUC has requested numerous times that all PEAs must be submitted in an approved format. However, SCE's responses to the CPUC's PEA Completeness Review memos have been submitted in a simple "response to data requests" format. Therefore, as described above, SCE must re-file a fully revised and supplemented PEA with the Docket Office for the PEA to be considered complete. The electronic version of the re-filed, complete PEA should be provided in smaller data file pieces (20 MB or less) rather than in a single 200 MB file as was provided for the November 16, 2012 PEA submittal.

I look forward to reviewing SCE's resubmittal of the PEA for the Banducci Substation Project. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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/s/

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