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VIA EMAIL

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RE: Fogarty Substation Notice to Proceed #4 for Water Line Construction and the Installation of Landscaping and an Irrigation System

Dear Ms. Marona:

On February 7, 2013, Southern California Edison Company (SCE) submitted a request for Notice to Proceed #4 for the Valley-Ivyglen Subtransmission Line and Fogarty Substation Project to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC). SCE proposes to construct a water line extension from a municipal water source to Fogarty Substation and to install an irrigation system and landscaping at the Fogarty Substation site, which is located at the southeast corner of Terra Cotta Road and Kings Highway in Lake Elsinore, California. The water line would be installed from a position within Terra Cotta Road (west of the substation) to a position located near the northeastern perimeter of the Fogarty Substation site. Landscaping and an irrigation system would be installed around the perimeter of the substation facility.

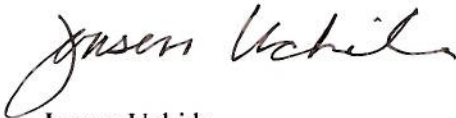
The project's Environmental Impact Report (EIR; State Clearinghouse No. 2008011082) states that a waterline, landscaping, and landscaping irrigation would be installed at Fogarty Substation (Draft EIR pages B-33 and D.13-8). The EIR also states that, during operations, water use at the substation would be limited to irrigation of the surrounding landscaping (Draft EIR page D.13-8). The EIR does not specify an alignment for the proposed water line.

Notice to Proceed #4 is granted by the CPUC for the proposed undertaking based on the following conditions:

- Construction for Notice to Proceed #4 will be confined to the water line, landscaping, and irrigation system as specified in SCE's request for Notice to Proceed #4.
- The SWPPP Map (Appendix B-3) and associated SWPPP sections, as necessary, including the expected date of completion (Section 2.1) and amendment log (Appendix C) of the *Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for Construction Activities (California 2009-0009-DWQ Construction General Permit): Fogarty Substation (WDID# 8 33C353603), Revised December 10, 2012* will be revised by a Qualified SWPPP Developer to include the entire length of the proposed water line as defined by Attachment A to the request for Notice to Proceed #4.

- Revisions to the SWPPP, recording, and reporting will be completed as specified in SWPPP Sections 1.5 through 1.9 and will ensure that:
 - All pollutants and their sources, including sources of sediment associated with construction are controlled;
 - All non-storm water discharges are identified and either eliminated, controlled, or treated;
 - Best Management Practices (BMPs) are effective and result in the reduction or elimination of pollutants in storm water discharges and authorized non-storm water discharges from the project site during construction; and
 - Post-construction stabilization BMPs installed to reduce or eliminate pollutants are effective and properly maintained.
- The revised SWPPP and record of compliance with SWPPP amendment requirements will be submitted to the CPUC in full at least 10 days prior to start of construction of any component identified in SCE's request for Notice to Proceed #4.
- All project mitigation measures, compliance plans, and permit conditions will be implemented during construction activities. Measures that include on-going/time-sensitive requirements will be implemented prior to and during construction where applicable.
- Staging and storage of all equipment, building materials, and other construction supplies will be confined to approved work areas for Fogarty Substation construction as described in the EIR and SWPPP.
- Copies of all relevant permits, compliance plans (e.g., Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan [MMRP], SWPPP, etc.), and all approved Notices to Proceed will be available onsite for the duration of construction activities. Copies of permits will be provided to the CPUC upon request.
- All crew personnel will be appropriately trained on environmental issues, including requirements of the MMRP and SWPPP, prior to starting work. A log will be maintained onsite with the names of all crew personnel trained and submitted to the CPUC upon request.
- If construction disturbance, debris, or spills enter environmentally sensitive areas (e.g., long-spined spineflower occurrence areas, streambed, or stream bank), the jurisdictional agency and CPUC will be notified immediately.

Sincerely,



Jensen Uchida
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