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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
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SUBJECT: Big Creek Hydroelectric Project
FERC License Project Nos. 67, 120, 2085, and 2175
Alternative Licensing Process - Progress Report No. 11

Under 18 CFR 4.3.4 (i)(6)(ii), Southern California Edison (SCE) is required to submit a report summarizing the progress made in the pre-filing consultation process and referencing the Applicant's public file, where additional information on that process can be obtained. SCE maintains a record of its pre-filing consultation process in its Relicensing website for the Big Creek Hydroelectric Project. To satisfy the regulatory requirement, SCE, after consultation with Commission staff, is providing nine copies of SCE's Big Creek Relicensing website in Adobe Acrobat format on the accompanying CD-ROMs to the Commission. It is our understanding from Commission staff that this information satisfies the requirement of the referenced regulation. The information is available to the general public at www.sce.com/PowerandEnvironment/PowerGeneration/BigCreekHydro.

Beginning in May 2005, SCE and the participants in the Alternative Licensing Process for the four Big Creek Hydroelectric Projects listed above commenced settlement discussions. The Communications Protocol developed by the participants for the negotiations provided that the negotiations would be considered confidential. The intent was to facilitate reaching an agreement among all the participants and to create an atmosphere that would allow for open, frank discussions and the introduction of "trial balloons". The Communications Protocol for the negotiations is on the website. However, the actual discussions were to remain confidential, unless a party making a presentation or statement wished to publicly disclose that communication. Consequently, neither the website nor this filing contains material from the negotiations.

The license application for the Mammoth Pool Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 2017) is due to the Commission by November 30, 2005. The filing of that application will bring to an end the Commission-authorized Alternative Licensing Process for the four Big Creek Hydroelectric Projects listed above. Thus, this submittal represents the last of the quarterly reports to be filed regarding the Big Creek Alternative Licensing Process.

If you have any questions, please contact Geoff Rabone at 909-394-8721.

Sincerely,

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