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**Repeated Application for Confidential Designation for Data in Integrated  
Energy Policy Report  
Docket No. 23-IEPR-02**

Dear Hongyan Sheng:

The California Energy Commission (CEC) has received Southern California Edison's (applicant), repeated application for confidential designation, dated June 30, 2023 (TN 250906). The application requests confidential designation for the highlighted data in applicant's Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR) Demand Forms, as follows:

- Form 1.1b: Retail Sales of Electricity by Class or Sector (2023-2026) Columns C-J, Rows 11-14.
- Form 1.2: Total Energy to Serve Load (2023-2026) Columns C-G & I-K, Rows 11-14
- Form 1.3: Losses, Total Peak (2023-2026) Columns J & K, Rows 12-15
- Form 1.4: Bundled Customer, Direct Access, Community Choice Aggregators, Other Publicly Owned Departing Load (2023-2026) Columns B-I, Rows 12-15
- Form 1.5: 1-in-2, 1-in-5, 1-in-10, and 1-in-20 Temperatures (2023-2026) Columns C-F, Rows 11-14
- Form 1.6a: Bundled Load, Bundled Losses, Unbundled Load, Unbundled Losses, Other Load, Total System Load, and Distribution Service Area Columns C-H, Rows 17,533-26,292
- Form 2.1: All Forecast Economic and Demographic Assumptions (2021-2034) Columns C, D, G-K, Rows 9-22; and Columns N-W, Rows 8-21
- Form 2.2: All Electricity Rate Forecasts (2021-2034) Columns C-G, Rows 10-23
- Form 2.3: All Customer Count and Other Forecasting Inputs (2021-2034) Columns C-G & J, Rows 10-23

The applicant states that such data should be designated confidential by the CEC under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2505(a)(4) as a repeated application. The applicant further states under penalty of perjury that the data is “the same or substantially similar to that previous designated as confidential by the CEC.”

California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2505(a)(4) states, “If an applicant is seeking a confidential designation for information that is substantially similar to information that was previously deemed confidential by the Commission pursuant to Section 2508, or for which an application for confidential designation was granted by the executive director pursuant to subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section, the new application need contain only a certification, executed under penalty of perjury, stating that the information submitted is substantially similar to the previously submitted information and that all the facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged. An application meeting these criteria will be approved.”

The application previously submitted by the applicant was granted on January 13, 2023 (TN 248397), based on California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2505(a)(3)(A). Therefore, the applicant has established the identified records qualify for confidential designation pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2505(a)(4).

#### **Executive Director’s Determination**

For the reasons stated, the applicant's confidentiality application is granted. The CEC designates the above-described information as confidential for the term of three years, consistent with the length of time previously granted. Data may be disclosed if aggregated with data from other load serving entities.

Be advised that under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2506, one may petition to inspect or copy records that the CEC has designated as confidential. A decision on a petition to inspect or copy confidential records is issued by the CEC’s chief counsel. Under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2507, the executive director may disclose records, or release records previously designated as confidential, in certain circumstances. The procedures for acting on a petition and criteria for disclosing or releasing records previously designated as confidential are set forth in the California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 2506-2508.

If you have questions, please email [confidentialapplication@energy.ca.gov](mailto:confidentialapplication@energy.ca.gov).

Sincerely,



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Executive Director