## **SCE LEGAL NOTICES**

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION HEARINGS FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY'S 2025 GENERAL RATE CASE A.23-05-010

## WHY AM I RECEIVING THIS NOTICE?

Southern California Edison (SCE) and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) would like to hear from you. You are invited to participate in a public forum regarding SCE's application to raise electricity rates. At the public forum, you can make comments and raise concerns with the CPUC's Administrative Law Judges who are overseeing this rate increase request.

### HOW WILL THE PUBLIC FORUMS BE HELD?

There will be two in-person and four remote public forums as follows:

**REMOTE:** The public forums can be viewed via Internet, or listened to via phone, with the information below. If you wish to make a public comment, please participate by phone using the phone number, passcode and instructions below. When it is your turn to speak, the operator will call your name in the order you signed up to speak.

Date	Time	Details			
Tuesday	2 p.m.	Phone number:1-800-857-1917			
March 5, 2024	6 p.m.	Passcode: <b>6032788#</b>			
Wednesday March 20, 2024	2 p.m.	To comment: After entering the passcode, press *1, unmute your phone, and record your name.			
	6 p.m.	Webcast: adminmonitor.com/ca/cpuc/			

## IN PERSON:

Date	Time	Details			
Wednesday, March 20, 2024	2 p.m.	Recreation Park Community Center			
	6 p.m.	4900 E. 7th St. Long Beach, CA 90804			

If you need language assistance for any of these forums, contact the CPUC's Public Advisor's Office using the information at the end of this notice at least five business days before the hearing you plan to attend.

Please note: A quorum of commissioners may attend but no decisions will be made or voted on at these hearings.

Written public comments may also be provided at any time during the proceeding using the "Add Public Comment" button on the "Public Comment" tab of the Docket Card for A.23-05-010, available at apps.cpuc.ca.gov/c/A2305010

## WHY IS SCE REQUESTING THIS RATE INCREASE?

On May 12, 2023, SCE filed a General Rate Case (GRC) Application with the CPUC requesting authority to increase revenues for 2025-2028. The revenue increases SCE is requesting are as follows:<sup>1</sup>

- 2025: \$1.895 billion increase (22.6% increase over 2024)<sup>2</sup> for a revenue requirement of \$10.267 billion
- 2026: Additional \$619 million (6% increase over 2025)
- 2027: Additional \$664 million (6% increase over 2026)
- 2028: Additional \$705 million (6% increase over 2027)

SCE delivers your electricity. Every four years, SCE must file what is known as a GRC application with the CPUC. GRCs set rates that customers pay to fund SCE's day-to-day operations, including maintenance for its equipment and electricity grid upgrades.

## HOW COULD THIS AFFECT MY MONTHLY BILL?

Below is a table that shows the proposed rate increase by customer group, based on the most recent method approved by the CPUC. The residential dollar amounts and percentages shown below in the bill impact section do not necessarily reflect the exact changes you may see in your bill and are based on CARE<sup>3</sup> and non-CARE customers who use the system-wide average of 500 kWh per month. Changes in individual bills will depend on how much energy each customer uses.

#### **CUSTOMER IMPACT TABLE**

Bundled Average Rates (c/kWh)*						
Customer Group	2024**	Proposed Change	Proposed Rates	% Change***		
Residential	32.29	3.42	35.71	10.6%		
Lighting - Small and Medium Power	28.38	2.89	31.26	10.2%		
Agricultural and Pumping	23.44	2.00	25.44	8.5%		
Street and Area Lighting	29.11	1.36	30.48	4.7%		
Standby	17.24	1.07	18.31	6.2%		
TOTAL	27.11	2.45	29.56	9.0%		

Bundled Average Rates (¢/kWh)*						
Description	2024** Proposed Change		Proposed Rates	% Change***		
Non-CARE residential bill	\$170.39	\$17.49	\$187.88	10.3%		
CARE residential bill	\$115.35	\$11.83	\$127.18	10.3%		

<sup>\*</sup> These rate and bill impacts exclude greenhouse gas (GHG) revenues.

- As explained in our Application, SCE is also requesting cost recovery of \$95.57 million in one-time CPUC-approved memorandum accounts.
- This increase is calculated relative to SCE's current and requested GRC-related revenue requirement only (i.e., Authorized Base Revenue Requirement), as of the end of 2024.
- <sup>3</sup> The California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) program provides a discount of about 30% on monthly electric bills if someone in your household participates in at least one eligible public assistance program or meets certain income criteria. The Family Electric Rate Assistance Program provides an 18% discount for qualified households with three or more people. See www.sce.com/careandfera for eligibility and details.

<sup>\*\* 2024</sup> rate and bill impacts are derived by starting with SCE's approved March 1, 2023 rates and (1) layering on the revenue changes associated with SCE's 2021 GRC Track 4 (A.19-08-013) authorized base revenue requirement request, adjusted for the adopted Cost of Capital in D.22-12-031 (as modified in D.23-01-022), and the change to the wildfire liability insurance portion of the authorized base revenue requirement requested in a Petition for Modification of D.21-08-036, and (2) adjusting for estimated 2024 sales.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> The percentage change in this table is based on the impact SCE's 2025 GRC request has on overall rates (which include non-GRC revenues) in 2025. This is different from the percentage increases discussed at the beginning of this notice, which are only comparing the GRC-authorized base revenue requirement requests.

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The table below reflects the monthly bill impact for 2026-2028 proposed rates.

Residential Bill Impact(\$/Month)*							
Description	2025 Proposed	2026 Proposed	% Change	2027 Proposed	% Change	2028 Proposed	% Change
Non-CARE residential bill	\$187.88	193.02	2.7%	\$198.13	2.6%	\$203.39	2.7%
CARE residential bill	\$127.18	\$130.66	2.7%	\$134.11	2.6%	\$137.67	2.7%

## HOW DOES THE REST OF THE PROCESS WORK?

This application has been assigned to CPUC Administrative Law Judges whose schedule includes these public participation hearings and who will consider proposals and evidence presented during the formal hearing process. The Administrative Law Judges will issue a proposed decision that may adopt SCE's application, modify it, or deny it. Any CPUC Commissioner may sponsor an alternate decision with a different outcome. The proposed decision, and any alternate decisions, will be discussed and voted upon by the CPUC Commissioners at a public CPUC Voting Meeting.

Parties to the proceeding may review SCE's application, including the Public Advocates Office. The Public Advocates Office is an independent consumer advocate within the CPUC that represents customers to obtain the lowest possible rate for service consistent with reliable and safe service levels. For more information about the Public Advocates Office, please call 1-415-703-1584, email PublicAdvocatesOffice@cpuc.ca.gov, or visit PublicAdvocates.cpuc.ca.gov.

## WHERE CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

#### CONTACT SCE:

Email: case.admin@sce.com

Phone: 1-626-302-0449

Mail: Southern California Edison Company

Attn: Case Administrator A.23-05-010 – 2025 GRC

P.O. Box 800 Rosemead, CA 91770

A copy of the application and any related documents may also be reviewed at **www.sce.com/applications** 

#### CONTACT THE CPUC:

For additional information and any updates on the hearings, please visit cpuc.ca.gov/pph.

Please visit apps.cpuc.ca.gov/c/A2305010 to submit a comment about this proceeding on the CPUC Docket Card. Here you can also view documents and other public comments related to this proceeding. Your participation by providing your thoughts on SCE's request can help the CPUC make an informed decision. If you have questions about CPUC processes, you may contact the CPUC's Public Advisor's Office at:

Email: Public.Advisor@cpuc.ca.gov

Phone: 1-866-849-8390 (toll-free) or1-415-703-2074

Mail: CPUC Public Advisor's Office

505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102 Attn: Case Administrator

Please reference **SCE GRC Application A.23-05-010** in any communications you have with the CPUC regarding this matter.