# NOTICE OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY'S FILING OF ADVICE LETTER TO INCREASE WATER RATES ADVICE 128-W

## **SUMMARY**

On March 1, 2022, Southern California Edison Company (SCE) filed a Tier 2 Advice Letter (Advice 128-W) with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC or Commission) to 1) update the adopted annual water sales forecast, and 2) provide an update on the status of the Water Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (WRAM) and Modified Cost Balancing Account (MCBA).

In this advice letter, SCE proposes to update the adopted water sales forecast to 83.24 million gallons (MG) per year, a decrease of 0.14 MG or 0.2 percent from the current adopted forecast of 83.38 MG.

# **CUSTOMER BILL IMPACT**

If approved, Advice 128-W will result in an increase in average monthly bills of \$3.02 (or 4%) for residential customers, \$2.76 (or 4%) for residential-CARE customers, -\$2.88 (or -1%) for commercial customers, and -\$1.01 (or -1%) for irrigation customers. Table I shows the estimated rate increase and average monthly bill for residential and residential-CARE customers. Table II shows the estimated rate increase and average monthly bill for non-residential customers:

Table I
Residential Rate Increase and Average Monthly Bill

Residential Rates (\$/1,000 gallons)										
Customer Group	Current Rates		Proposed Increase		Proposed Rates		% Increase% Increase			
	Summer	Winter	Summer	Winter	Summer	Winter	Summer	Winter		
Residential										
0 - 2,000 gallons (Tier 1)	24.41	12.27	3.08	0.73	27.49	13.00	13%	6%		
2,001 - 6,500 gallons (Tier 2)	48.25	23.98	6.08	1.37	54.33	25.35	13%	6%		
Over 6,500 gallons (Tier 3)	72.08	35.68	9.08	2.02	81.16	37.70	13%	6%		
Residential - CARE										
0 - 2,000 gallons (Tier 1)	19.07	9.36	2.40	0.52	21.47	9.88	13%	6%		
2,001 - 6,500 gallons (Tier 2)	38.14	18.73	4.80	1.03	42.94	19.76	13%	5%		
Over 6,500 gallons (Tier 3)	57.21	28.09	7.20	1.55	64.41	29.64	13%	6%		
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		Current	Proposed	Proposed	% Increase	
Description		Bill	Increase	Bill	70 Increase	
Non-CARE residential bill	\$	76.06	\$ 3.02	\$ 79.08	4%	
CARE residential bill	\$	64.86	\$ 2.76	\$ 67.62	4%	

Table II
Non-Residential Rate Increase and Average Monthly Bill

Non-Residential Rates (\$/1,	000 gallons)							
Customer Group	Current Rates		Proposed Increase		Proposed Rates		% Increase% Increase	
	Summer	Summer Winter Summer Winter		Winter	Summer	Winter	Summer	Winter
Commercial and Irrigation								
All Usag	e 57.68	23.38	1.14	-1.31	58.82	22.07	2%	-6%
Non-Residential Bill Impact	(\$/Month)							
	Current Bill		Proposed		Proposed		0/ 1	
Description			Incr	ease	Bill		% Increase	
Commercial	\$	544.89	\$	(2.88)	\$	542.01	-1	%
Irrigation	\$	178.06	\$	(1.01)	\$	177.05	-1	%

## **RESPONSE OR PROTEST**

Anyone may respond to or protest this filing. A response supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the CPUC in its evaluation. A protest objects to the filing in whole or in part and must set forth the specific grounds on which it is based. A protest shall also provide citations or proof where available to allow CPUC staff to properly consider the protest. The grounds for protests are:

- 1. SCE did not properly serve or give notice of the advice letter;
- 2. The relief requested in the advice letter would violate statute or CPUC order, or is not authorized by statute or CPUC order on which SCE relies;
- 3. The analysis, calculations, or data in the advice letter contain material error or omissions;
- 4. The relief requested in the advice letter is pending before the CPUC in a formal proceeding;
- 5. The relief requested in the advice letter requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the advice letter process; or
- 6. The relief requested in the advice letter is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory

If you wish to respond or protest this advice letter you may do so by writing the CPUC's Division of Water and Audits (DWA) by Monday, March 22, 2022, 21 calendar days from the date this advice letter is filed. Please include "Advice Letter 128-W SCE" in any response or protest you submit. The CPUC address for mailing (or emailing) a response or protest is:

California Public Utilities Commission Water Division, 3rd Floor 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102 Email: water.division@cpuc.ca.gov On the same date the response or protest is submitted to the CPUC, the respondent or protestant must send a copy by e-mail to the SCE at:

Attention: Cooper Cameron, Regulatory Affairs

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Cities and counties that need Board of Supervisors' or Board of Commissioners' approval to protest should inform the DWA, within the 20-day protest period, so that a late filed protest can be entertained. The informing document should include an estimate of the date the proposed protest might be voted on.

### **REPLIES:**

The utility shall reply to each timely-filed protest and may reply to any response.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT SCE'S ADVICE LETTER

You may review a copy of SCE's advice letter at SCE's corporate headquarters (2244 Walnut Grove Avenue, Rosemead, CA 91770).

Customers with internet access may view and download SCE's advice letter on SCE's website by visiting <a href="www.sce.com/regulatory/advice-letters/pending">www.sce.com/regulatory/advice-letters/pending</a>. If you have technical issues accessing the documents through the website, please e-mail <a href="case.admin@sce.com">case.admin@sce.com</a> for assistance (be sure to reference Advice Letter No. 128-W in your e-mail).

To request a hard copy of SCE's Advice Letter, or to obtain more information about the Advice Letter from SCE, please email to:

Attention: Cooper Cameron, Regulatory Affairs

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