Los usuarios con acceso al internet podrán leer y descargar esta notificación en español en el sitio Web de SCE <u>www.sce.com/avisos</u>, o escriba a la atención de las Comunicaciones Corporativas.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY (SCE) NOTICE OF FILING OF AMENDED GENERAL RATE CASE APPLICATION (A.) 19-08-013

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT SCE'S REQUESTED RATE INCREASE

On August 30, 2019, Southern California Edison Company (SCE) filed a General Rate Case (GRC) application with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) requesting authority to increase revenues. On November 7, 2019, SCE filed an amended GRC application to make a few relatively minor adjustments to its original Application requesting to increase its revenues for 2021 to 2023 as follows:

- 2021: \$1.319 billion (12.9% increase over total present rates)
- 2022: Additional \$385 million (3.4%)
- 2023: Additional \$538 million (4.7%)
- TOTAL: Cumulative \$2.242 billion (7.5%) revenue increase per year over 3 years 1

Every three years, SCE is required to file a GRC application in which the CPUC sets annual revenue levels. Annual revenue is the total amount of money a utility collects through rates in a given year, for specific purposes. Included in annual revenue is base rates revenue, which SCE seeks in this proceeding. Base rates pay for the costs of owning and operating electric distribution and generation facilities (excluding fuel and purchased power-related costs).

In this GRC, SCE seeks approval to recover approximately \$87 million in revenue. This revenue will be recorded in non-fire-related memorandum accounts.

SCE also seeks approval to recover costs recorded in the Fire Mitigation Memorandum Accounts. Because 2019 and 2020 recorded costs in the Fire Mitigation Memorandum Accounts are not yet known, SCE will separately notify customers upon receipt of that information.

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The percentage increases represent the average increase. Individual customers may see lower or higher bill increases due to their individual energy consumption.

WHAT THIS PROPOSED GRC APPLICATION MEANS TO YOU

If the CPUC approves SCE's request, CARE residential customers and non-CARE residential customers² who use the system-wide average of 550 kWh per month will see an average increase of about \$9.77 (or 13.1%) and \$14.48 (or 13.1%), respectively, in each monthly bill in 2021. In 2022, CARE residential customers and non-CARE residential customers will see an average monthly increase of about \$2.90 (or 3.9%) and \$4.30 (or 3.9%), respectively. And, in 2023, CARE residential and non-CARE residential customers will see an average monthly increase of about \$4.00 (or 5.3%) and \$5.93 (or 5.3%), respectively. The dollar amounts and percentages shown above do not necessarily reflect the exact changes you may see in your bill. Changes in individual bills will depend on how much energy each customer uses.

The table below shows the proposed rate increase by customer group, based on the most recent method approved by the CPUC.

2021 Proposed Rate Increase by Customer Group

Bundled Average Rates (¢/kWh)	System Revenues (\$000)				Bundled Service (cents/kWh)			
Customer Group	Current Revenues (\$000)	Proposed Revenues (\$000)	2018 GRC Proposed	% Change over Current	Current Rates	Proposed Rates	Proposed Rate Increase	% Rate Increase
Residential	4,316,794	4,981,931	665,137	15.4%	18.1	20.7	2.6	14.1%
Lighting - Small and Medium Power	3,511,599	3,939,038	427,439	12.2%	17.3	19.2	1.9	10.9%
Large Power	1,582,601	1,744,402	161,801	10.2%	12.4	13.5	1.1	8.7%
Agricultural and Pumping	391,119	433,930	42,811	10.9%	13.7	15.1	1.4	10.2%
Street and Area Lighting	111,525	115,058	3,533	3.2%	25.5	26.2	0.7	2.8%
Standby	287,976	306,692	18,716	6.5%	10.2	10.8	0.6	5.8%
Total	10,201,615	11,521,051	1,319,436	12.9%	16.3	18.2	1.9	11.8%

^[1] Current July 26, 2019 Rates with 2021 sales forecast

THE KEY REASONS FOR SCE'S PROPOSED INCREASE

The primary reasons for the requested revenue increases are:

- 1. Reducing the risk from wildfires to keep the electric grid safe for the public and for SCE workers:
- 2. Reinforcing grid reliability and grid resiliency in case of an emergency; and
- 3. Improving customer service and communication, integrating distributed energy resources, and offering customers more choices to meet their needs.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT SCE'S APPLICATION

You may review a copy of SCE's amended application and related exhibits at SCE's corporate headquarters: 2244 Walnut Grove Avenue, Rosemead, CA 91770.

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.

Customers with internet access may view and download SCE's amended application and related exhibits on SCE's website. To access, please follow these steps:

- 1. Go to www.sce.com/applications;
- 2. Scroll down to "SCE 2021 GRC" and click on the link;
- 3. The 2021 GRC amended application and testimony are presented in Adobe Acrobat (pdf) format and can be viewed online, printed, or saved to your hard drive.

If you have technical issues accessing the documents through the website, please e-mail case.admin@sce.com for assistance (be sure to reference proceeding A.19-08-013 in your e-mail).

For those who would like to obtain more information from SCE about this application, please direct your correspondence to:

Southern California Edison Company Attention: Douglas Snow, Director, General Rate Case A.19-08-013 – SCE's 2021 GRC P.O. Box 800 Rosemead, CA 91770

In addition, a copy of this amended application may be reviewed at the CPUC's Central Files Office, located in San Francisco, CA, by appointment. For more information, please contact them at aljcentralfilesid@cpuc.ca.gov or (415) 703-2045.

CPUC PROCESS

This amended application will be assigned to an Administrative Law Judge (Judge) who will determine how to receive evidence and other related documents necessary for the CPUC to establish a record upon which to base its decision. Evidentiary Hearings (EH) may be held where parties of record will present their testimony and may be subject to cross-examination by other parties. These EHs are open to the public, but only those who are parties of record can participate.

After considering all proposals and evidence presented during the formal hearing process, the assigned Judge will issue a proposed decision which may adopt SCE's application as proposed, modify it, or deny it. Any CPUC Commissioner may sponsor an alternate decision. The proposed decision, and any alternate decisions, will be discussed and voted upon at a scheduled CPUC Voting Meeting.

The California Public Advocates Office (CalPA) may review this application on behalf of SCE's customers. CalPA is the independent consumer advocate within the CPUC with a legislative mandate to represent investor-owned utility customers to obtain the lowest possible rate for service consistent with reliable and safe service levels. CalPA has a multi-disciplinary staff with expertise in economics, finance, accounting, and engineering. For more information about CalPA, please call (415) 703-1584, e-mail PublicAdvocatesOffice@cpuc.ca.gov or visit CalPA's website at http://www.publicadvocates.cpuc.ca.gov/.

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Please reference **Southern California Edison GRC Application No. A.19-08-013** in any communications you have with the CPUC regarding this matter. All public comments will become part of the public correspondence file for this proceeding and be made available for review to the assigned Judge, the Commissioners, and appropriate CPUC staff.