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To: Wildfire Mitigation Plans Service List

Subject: Revised 2023 Wildfire Mitigation Plan Schedule for the Small Multi-Jurisdictional Utilities and Independent Transmission Operators

Dear Wildfire Mitigation Plan Stakeholders:

On December 7, 2022, the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety (Energy Safety) published the 2023 Wildfire Mitigation Plan (WMP) Schedule. This WMP schedule covered the completeness check and the evaluation of the electrical corporations' 2023-2025 Base WMPs.

Energy Safety has revised this WMP schedule specifically for the Small Multi-Jurisdictional Utilities and independent transmission operators (SMJUs and ITOs).<sup>2</sup> The SMJUs and ITOs will now submit their 2023-2025 WMPs on May 8, 2023, rather than April 17, 2023. Subsequent dates associated with the SMJUs/ITOs WMP schedule are adjusted accordingly. The date by which Energy Safety expects to issue draft Decisions on the SMJU/ITO WMPs is now the end of October 2023. There is no change to the WMP schedule for the large Investor-Owned Utilities.<sup>3</sup>

The revised schedule is presented in Attachment 1 to this letter with the date changes for the SMJU/ITO WMP Schedule shown in bold.<sup>4</sup>

Sincerely,

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The WMP Schedule issued on December 7, 2022, can be found here: https://efiling.energysafety.ca.gov/eFiling/Getfile.aspx?fileid=53291&shareable=true.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The SMJUs/ITOs are PacifiCorp, Liberty Utilities, Bear Valley Electrical Services Inc., Horizon West Transmission, Trans Bay Cable, and LS Power.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The large Investor-Owned Utilities are Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This revised schedule is forward looking and does not include dates that occurred in the past.

## Attachment 1 - Revised 2023 WMP Schedule

Date⁵	Item
March 27, 2023	Energy Safety Issues Completeness Check Results to SMJUs/ITOs
March 27, 2023	Large IOUs submit WMPs
April 6, 2023	Substantive errata due for Large IOUs
Mid-April, 2023	WMP Workshop for Large IOUs (2 Days)
April 26, 2023	Non-substantive errata due for Large IOUs
May 8, 2023	SMJUs/ITOs submit WMPs
May 18, 2023	Substantive errata due for SMJUs/ITOs
May 26, 2023	Opening Comments Due for Large IOU WMPs
End of May 2023	WMP Workshop for SMJUs/ITOs (1 Day)
June 5, 2023	Reply Comments Due for Large IOU WMPs
June 7, 2023	Non-substantive errata due for SMJU/ITOs
June 29, 2023	Opening Comments Due for SMJU/ITO WMPs
End of June 2023	Revision Notices Issued for Large IOUs (where necessary)
July 10, 2023	Reply Comments Due for SMJU/ITO WMPs
Mid July, 2023	Draft Decisions Issued for Large IOUs without Revision Notices
Early August 2023	Revision Notices Issued for SMJUs/ITOs (where necessary)
<b>End of October</b>	Draft Decisions Issued for SMJUs/ITOs without Revision Notices
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The Draft Decision publication date for electrical corporations receiving Revision Notices will be contained therein.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Dates falling on a Saturday or holiday as defined in Government Code Section 6700 have been adjusted to the next business day in accordance with Government Code Section 6707.