BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFONIA

In the Matter of the Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902 E) for Adoption of Its Smart Grid Deployment Plans.

And Related Matters.

Application 11-06-006 (Filed June 6, 2011)

Application 11-06-029 Application 11-07-001

MOTION OF PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T CALIFORNIA (U 1001 C) FOR PARTY STATUS

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Pursuant to Rule 1.4(a)(4) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, Pacific

Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T California ("AT&T") hereby requests party status in this

proceeding.

AT&T is an emerging leader in network and managed services for Smart Grid devices,

and its extensive network and capabilities make it an ideal partner for other innovators that are

working to advance Smart Grid technologies, particularly in the areas of Advanced Metering

Infrastructure (AMI) systems and distribution management. As such, AT&T has a direct interest

in assisting the Commission with the establishment of guidelines and standards that will enable

efficient and effective Smart Grid deployment.

WHEREFORE, AT&T requests that the Commission grant it leave to intervene in this

proceeding with all the rights and obligations of a party.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20th day of April 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

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