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Joseph Mock
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Re: Request for Extension of Time to Comply with the Assigned Commissioner's Scoping Memo and Ruling Related to the Ventura Compressor Modernization Project Application Requirement

Dear Joseph Mock:

Pursuant to Rule 16.6, on October 24, 2022, Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) submitted a letter requesting an extension of time to comply with the Assigned Commissioner's Scoping Memo and Ruling (Scoping Memo) issued October 3, 2022, in SoCalGas's Test Year (TY) 2024 General Rate Case (GRC) proceeding,¹ related to the Ventura Compressor Modernization (VCM) Project application requirement. SoCalGas requested an extension of time to December 15, 2022, to comply with the Scoping Memo's directive to file the VCM Project application.

SoCalGas filed its TY 2024 GRC Application, on May 16, 2022, including the VCM Project within the scope of its GRC. On October 3, 2022, the Scoping Memo determined the VCM Project to be outside the scope of the GRC proceeding and required SoCalGas file a formal separate application for its VCM Project by November 17, 2022.

In its October 24, 2022 letter, SoCalGas states that it needs more time to prepare an application in the manner directed in the Scoping Memo. It therefore requests an extension of time to December 15, 2022, to submit the separate VCM application. SoCalGas also states that because the VCM Project is now effectively outside the scope of the TY 2024 GRC it makes its request for more time per Rule 16.6 to ensure the request may be properly addressed.

¹ Application (A.) 22-05-015 (consolidated)

SoCalGas's request for an extension of time is reasonable and is hereby grant per Rule 16.6. The extension of time granted in this letter is consistent with the Assigned Administrative Law Judge's ruling on October 28, 2022,² which authorized SoCalGas an extension of time to file its VCM Project Application on or before December 15, 2022.

Pursuant to Rule 16.6 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, SoCalGas shall promptly inform all parties to Service List A.22-05-015 and A.22-05-016 that this extension has been granted.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rachel Peterson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Rachel Peterson
Executive Director

² <https://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/PublishedDocs/Efile/G000/M498/K076/498076531.PDF>