

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY

SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC)
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FE DOCKET NO. 06-124-NG

ORDER VACATING BLANKET AUTHORIZATION
TO IMPORT NATURAL GAS FROM CANADA

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 2323-A

On January 16, 2007, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) granted blanket authorization to San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E), in DOE/FE Order No. 2323 (Order 2323) to import up to a combined total of 75 billion cubic feet (Bcf) of natural gas from Canada over a two-year term beginning on December 1, 2006, and extending through November 30, 2008.¹

On July 01, 2008, SDG&E notified DOE that it has combined its core gas portfolios and concomitantly transferred all of its related firm transportation contracts to Southern California Gas Company. As a result of these operations, SDG&E has indicated the authorization contained in Order 2323 is no longer needed, and SDG&E requests that DOE vacate Order 2323, effective the date of this Order.

¹/ Unpublished in the Federal Energy Guidelines.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, the authorization to import natural gas granted to San Diego Gas & Electric in Order 2323 is hereby vacated, effective July 28, 2008.

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