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SDG&E 2018-2025 EE Rolling Portfolio Business Plan
TURN Data Request TURN-SDG&E-01 Dated February 24, 2017
Question 12
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Portfolio Measure Composition and Intervention Strategies

12. Following up on the IOUs' joint response to Question 11 of TURN's Nov. 9, 2016 Data Request in R.13-11-005 (addressing the draft business plans of all four IOU PAs), as it pertains to SDG&E:

    a. Please update your response, if appropriate in light of your Business Plan, to indicate whether you intend to require or encourage, as a general matter, either higher incentives for greater degree of energy efficiency above code requirements or variation in incentive levels by geography through your implementation plans and solicitations. If you do not expect to require or encourage implementers to offer either, please include in your response an explanation of why you believe this is reasonable given the possibility of stranding achievable, above-code, savings over the life of the new measure.

    b. Please specify all instances in your 2016 and 2017 portfolios in which incentives for replace-on-burnout interventions are either higher for greater degree of energy efficiency above code requirements or vary by geography.

    c. Please specify all instances in your 2016 and 2017 portfolios in which incentives for early retirement interventions are either higher for greater degree of energy efficiency above code requirements or vary by geography.

SDG&E Response:

a) Measure incentives will be determined as part of the implementation phase of program rollout. In general, SDG&E believes 1) higher incentives encourage customers to perform retrofits with deeper energy savings and 2) incentives should be linked to grid benefits.
b) SDG&E interprets this question to mean that TURN is interested in measures that pay and claim savings "to and through code." The Locational Energy Efficiency program provides greater incentives by location.
c) SDG&E interprets this question to mean that TURN is interested in measures that pay and claim savings "to and through code." SDG&E's Retro-commissioning and Multifamily HOPPs programs offer greater incentives for energy efficiency above code requirements and the Locational Energy Efficiency program provides greater incentive by location.