Question Q.15:

New Telecommunications Lines and Poles

The document states: "The new telecommunications lines would be installed overhead and in existing and new underground conduits and would utilize existing manholes and utility poles. Where necessary, up to 46 utility poles along these routes would be replaced." Explain whether the replacement poles would be the same type and height. If they will be different, describe the design and heights of the new poles compared to the existing poles they would replace.

Response to Question Q.15:

This question is now moot. Because SCE will be replacing poles on an earlier time table associated with the on-going deteriorated pole replacement program as a result of the wind loading pole analysis, no poles will need to be replaced as a result of additional facilities added due to Mesa. Please refer to the response to Data Request #1, Question #10.