### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Schmale Neal E				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SEMPRA ENERGY [ SRE ]										ationship k all appl Direct	,					
(Last) 101 ASH	`	irst)	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/16/2010									Office below	<b>'</b>	ve title Other (below) resident and COO		specify	
(Street) SAN DII (City)			92101 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								3. Indi Line) X	,					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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Phantom Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	(2)	07/16/2010			A		20		(3)		(4)	Common Stock	20		\$49	33,111		D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Phantom shares of Sempra Energy Common Stock acquired under Sempra Energy multi-fund deferred compensation and excess savings plans. Total includes any additional shares accrued as dividend equivalents since the date of the last report of phantom share acquisitions. Plan payouts are in cash and limited intra-plan transfers are permitted based on the then market value of the shares of Sempra Energy Common Stock to which the phantom shares relate.
- 2. Conversion of Derivative Security is 1 for 1.
- 3. Date Exercisable is Immediate.
- 4. Expiration date is Not Applicable.

## Remarks:

NEAL E. SCHMALE BY: G. Joyce Rowland, Senior VP of Sempra Energy and Attorney-

07/19/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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