FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FELSINGER DONALD E | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SEMPRA ENERGY [SRE] | | | | | | | | | (Che | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|--------|--|---|------|-----------------------|--|--------|-----------------|--|--|---|---|------------------------------|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 101 ASH ST. | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2008 | | | | | | | | | - 2 | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO | | | | |
| (Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92101 | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City) | (5) | | Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - Non- | | | _ | | | _ | Disp | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | | | | | Execution Date, | | | , Transac Code (Ir | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | | 5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte | es ially Following | 6. Own Form: I (D) or I (I) (Inst | Direct Indirect tr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | t (A) or (D) Pr | | Price | Transac | ansaction(s) estr. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\) | ate, T | 4. Transactio Code (Inst | | n of | | 6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | And 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4 | wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | c | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | | piration te | Title | or | ount mber ares | | | | | |
| Phantom Shares ⁽¹⁾ | (2) | 12/19/2008 | | | Α | | 32 | | (3) | | (4) | Common Stock | 3 | 32 | \$41.29 | 92,115 | | 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:

DONALD E. FELSINGER By: G. Joyce Rowland, Senior VP 12/22/2<u>008</u>

of Sempra Energy and

Attorney-In-Fact

** 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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