**Legal Title**  
Natural Gas Subaccount, Public Interest Research, Development, and Demonstration Fund

**Legal Citation/Authority**  
Chapter 512, Statutes of 2006 (SB 1250)  
Public Utilities Code section 895 (a)(1)

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**Purpose**  
To pay the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission for its costs in carrying out its duties and responsibilities to advance science or technology not adequately provided by competitive and regulated markets.

**Administering Agency/Organization Code**  
Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission/Org 3360

**Major Revenue Source**  
Transfers into this subaccount from the Gas Consumption Surcharge Fund.

**Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)**  
Pursuant to Government Code section 16346, in the absence of language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment shall be transferred to the General Fund.

**Appropriation Authority**  
Upon appropriation by the Legislature

**State Appropriations Limit**  
**Excluded** – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues are transferred from another excluded fund and the purpose or use remains the same.

**Comments/Historical Information**  
Subaccount established in Chapter 512, Statutes of 2006 (SB 1250)