

**PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY**  
**General Rate Case 2011 Phase I**  
**Application 09-12-020**  
**Data Response**

PG&E Data Request No.:	DRA_204-19		
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**EXHIBIT REFERENCE: PG&E-6, CHAPTER 7**

**SUBJECT: SAFETY, HEALTH AND CLAIMS DEPARTMENT AND OTHER COSTS**

In response to DRA-067-Q39c. PG&E provided a breakdown of (1) Videos, Brochures, giveaways, (2) Enhance On-line content, and (3) Support gas and electric safety demonstrations. Please provide the following:

**QUESTION 19**

**Director's Immediate Office:** In response to DRA-101-Q8, PG&E indicated that the increase was "driven by a \$218K purchase of Flame Retardant Clothing in 2008 for various PG&E organizations." How often is this type of clothing purchased? How many employees need this type of clothing?

**ANSWER 19**

The rollout of the Flame Retardant Clothing occurred only once. The initial costs of this initiative were allocated to Safety, Health and Claims Department. The individual Lines of Business (not Safety, Health and Claims) pay for future expenditures.

Each new employee gets an initial allotment for Flame Retardant clothing based on how often they may be exposed to arc-flash hazards. This is currently \$750 for full-time users, \$400 for part-time users, and \$91.90 for infrequent users. Each employee gets an annual supplemental allotment of \$550 for full-time users, and \$275 for part-time users (infrequent users do not receive any annual allotment).

Within Safety, Health and Claims, there are currently 24 full-time users (who support Energy Delivery and Power Generation, which require Flame Retardant clothing at all times), 38 part-time users and 2 infrequent users.