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SUBJECT: HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT AND OTHER COSTS – INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROJECTS

QUESTION 10

HR Process Automation and Employee Self Service Capability: PG&E states: "PG&E has stabilized its 2006 implementation of SAP and is upgrading to a new version that provides enhanced HR employee and manager self-service capabilities and allows for improved access to HR data. In order to take advantage of the new capabilities, PG&E must also re-launch the HR portal (PG&E@WORK for Me) to make these new capabilities accessible to employees and managers." Why is it necessary to "re-launch" (PG&E @WORK for Me) portal?

ANSWER 10

PG&E believes a relaunch would be needed because significant changes are going to be made to PG&E@WorkforMe, including the overall look and feel, navigation, new functionality and options. It is also possible that some data conversions could be required as part of moving to a new structure.

A complete relaunch for the portal is one of the most effective means of educating employees and retirees, minimizing business disruption and promoting increased self-service usage. A relaunch generally would include a comprehensive communications and change management effort.