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Please use this version as I forgot to add the 6th question. sorry.

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Subject: Data Request

Hello,

The Consumer Education & Outreach Task Force initiated by Commissioner Ryan is undertaking an analysis of all outreach funds and activities/strategies devoted to AMI and the newly adopted rate structures for commercial, industrial, and agricultural customers of the investor-owned utilities as part of an effort to implement dynamic electricity prices for all California consumers (D.10-02-032). This is a data request to gather the information needed to finalize a report to Commissioner Ryan. If you have provided the information as part of a prior request, please do not direct us to that response; we are trying to quickly complete an audit of authorized funds and utility strategies and would appreciate a complete response to each inquiry below. *Please submit your responses within 5 business days of receiving this request (i.e. no later than Tuesday, Oct 5th at 8am)*.

## Please describe the following:

- 1. Your Outreach Strategies for AMI and the new rate structures (i.e., what is your overall approach to educating/informing your customers about both AMI and rates? What is your marking vision/mission/goals? Specifically outline how you implement the overall strategy?).
- 2. Your Outreach Practices to date (i.e., this should specify how you put your plan into practice, and also the results/feedback from your customers about how successful your

marketing/education outreach has worked).

- a. Messages (i.e., what are your overall messages for AMI and for rates)
- b. Materials (i.e., copies of your education/marketing materials)
- c. Focus Group Results (i.e., summaries and transcripts)
- d. Languages Reached (i.e., what languages other than English do you utilize to reach your customers)
- e. Dissemination Methods to customers (i.e., advertisements, direct mail, bill inserts, etc.)
- f. Dissemination Methods/Training for your Customer Service Representatives
- 3. Your Outreach Funds (allocated and spent) (i.e., specify the authorized outreach/education funds for both AMI and rates, and also specify your outreach/education funds as approved in your General Rate Case. We need a list of all authorized funds by decision including the outreach funds in your GRC and also the expenditure to date for each)
- 4. Challenges (i.e., what are your biggest challenges in reaching your customers)
- 5. Future Plans (i.e., what are your plans to educate your customers on AMI and rates going forward)
- 6. How many complaints have you received to date regarding Smart Meters (please give a number for health-related complaints and non-health-related complaints)? How many regarding dynamic rates?
  - a. Did you/will you implement any new procedures to handle Smart Meter and dynamic rate complaints?

**Overall Goal of this data request** - Ideally, it is preferred that you package your responses into a summary PowerPoint and also supply the requested materials.

I would be happy to discuss this with you if any part of this data request is unclear.

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