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Decision _____

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Address the Issue of Customer's Electric and Natural Gas Service Disconnection

Rulemaking 10-02-005 (Filed February 4, 2010)

CLAIM AND DECISION ON REQUEST FOR INTERVENOR COMPENSATION

Claimant: The Utility Reform Network (TURN)	For contribution to D.10-07-048
Claimed (\$): \$42,849.71	Awarded (\$):
Assigned Commissioner: Dian Grueneich	Assigned ALJ: Bruce DeBerry
I hereby certify that the information I have set forth in Parts I, II, and III of this Claim is true to my best knowledge, information and belief. I further certify that, in conformance with the Rules of Practice and Procedure, this Claim has been served this day upon all required persons (as set forth in the Certificate of Service attached as Attachment 1).	

	Signature:	/S/
Date: 9-28-10	Printed Name:	Hayley Goodson, Staff Attorney

PART I: PROCEDURAL ISSUES (to be completed by Claimant except where indicated)

- A. Brief Description of Decision: In D.10-07-048, Interim Decision Implementing Methods to Decrease the Number of Gas and Electric Utility Service Disconnections, the Commission adopted certain low-cost measures to reduce the number of utility service disconnections in the service territories of PG&E, SDG&E, SCE, and SoCalGas, starting this fall and continuing until Jan. 1, 2012 (for SDG&E, SCE and SoCalGas, as the sunset date for PG&E is yet to be determined).
- **B.** Claimant must satisfy intervenor compensation requirements set forth in Public Utilities Code §§ 1801-1812:

	Claimant	CPUC Verified
Timely filing of notice of intent to cl	aim compensation (§ 18	04(a)):
1. Date of Prehearing Conference:	N/A	
2. Other Specified Date for NOI:	March 8, 2010	
3. Date NOI Filed:	March 5, 2010	
4. Was the notice of intent timely filed?		
Showing of customer or customer	r-related status (§ 1802(b)):
5. Based on ALJ ruling issued in proceeding number:	R.10-02-005	
6. Date of ALJ ruling:	March, 29, 2010	
7. Based on another CPUC determination (specify):		
8. Has the claimant demonstrated customer or customer-	related status?	
Showing of "significant financi	ial hardship" (§ 1802(g)):
9. Based on ALJ ruling issued in proceeding number:	R.10-02-005	
10. Date of ALJ ruling:	March, 29, 2010	
11. Based on another CPUC determination (specify):		
12. Has the claimant demonstrated significant financial has	ardship?	
Timely request for compe	ensation (§ 1804(c)):	
13. Identify Final Decision	D.10-07-048	
14. Date of Issuance of Final Decision:	July 30, 2010	
15. File date of compensation request:	Sept. 28, 2010	
16. Was the request for compensation timely?		

C. Additional Comments on Part I (use line reference # as appropriate):

#	Claimant	CPUC	Comment

PART II: SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTION (to be completed by Claimant except where indicated)

A. In the fields below, describe in a concise manner Claimant's contribution to the final decision (*see* § 1802(i), § 1803(a) & D.98-04-059) (For each contribution, support with <u>specific</u> reference to final or record.)

Contribution	Citation to Decision or Record	Showing Accepted by CPUC
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should prohibit late-payment deposits for all residential customers. [Hours coded as "Dep"]	 D.10-07-048, Ordering Paragraph (OP) 3, 4 TURN Opening Comments, 3-12-10, pp. 25-27 	
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should prohibit post-shutoff deposits for CARE customers. [Hours coded as "Dep"]	 D.10-07-048, OP 2.a (providing this protection to CARE and FERA customers) TURN Opening Comments 3-12-10, pp. 27-28 	
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should extend the interim measure required by R.10-02-005 regarding payment plans. [Hours coded as "CPO"]	 D.10-07-048, OP 1 D.10-07-048, p. 8 ("DRA and TURN recommend that the two interim customer service disconnection practices adopted in R.10-02-005 be continued into 2011.") TURN Reply Comments, pp. 9-11 (supporting DRA's and NCLC's proposals) 	
TURN demonstrated that the Proposed Decision's discussion of the correlation between payment plan duration and risk of default should be modified. [Hours coded as "CPO"]	Compare D.10-07-048, p. 12 ("Although it appears from the information provided that longer payment periods result in an increased likelihood that payment plans will be broken, there may be other variables affecting these payment agreements.") and Finding of Fact 5 ("Information from PG&E and the Joint Utilities shows that the greater the payment period, the more likely it is that a customer will default on a pay plan, however other variables may effect those payment agreements.") with Proposed Decision, p. 11 ("However, it does appear from the information	

	 provided that longer payment periods result in an increased likelihood that payment plans will be broken.") and Finding of Fact 5 ("Information from PG&E and the Joint Utilities shows that the greater the payment period, the more likely it is that a customer will default on a pay plan.") TURN Comments on PD, pp. 3-4 	
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should consider allowing customers to choose their billing date as a means of reducing late payment and disconnection. [Hours coded as "CPO"]	 D.10-07-048, pp. 27-28 ("In the second phase of this proceeding we will address the following issues k. Should customers be allowed to choose a monthly billing date for their payments?") TURN Opening Comments 3-12-10, p. 32 	
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should address the need to reduce the discrepancy among utilities in disconnection rates, as well as the discrepancy between CARE and non- CARE disconnection rate for all utilities. [Hours coded as "Ben"]	 D.10-07-048, pp. 9-10 (discussing the disconcerting differences in shutoff rates among utilities and between CARE and non-CARE customers) and p. 27 (determining that these issues and how the Commission should respond will be addressed in the second phase of R.10-02-005); <i>compare with</i> Proposed Decision, pp. 8-9 and p. 25 (silent on these issues) 	
	 TURN Reply Comments 4-2-10, pp. 6-8 (supporting DRA's recommendation for disconnection benchmarks as a tool for reducing disconnection rates, especially for PG&E and SCE) 	
	 TURN Reply Comments on the PD, p. 3 (supporting DRA's and Greenlining's recommendations that benchmarks and shutoff rates be addressed in the proceeding) 	
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should review the reasonableness of costs the utilities may record in their R.10-02-	 D.10-07-048, p. 29 ("The second phase of this proceeding will address the categories and significant costs 	

005 memorandum aceounts from a holistic perspective, such as that afforded by a GRC, rather than quickly authorize cost recovery without a full exploration of pertinent issues, such as embedded versus incremental costs. [Hours coded as "Cost"]	 associated with compliance with the practices in this proceeding. However, memorandum account cost recovery will be determined in the next GRC for each utility."); <i>compare with</i> Proposed Decision, p. 26 ("The second phase of this proceeding will determine the process for addressing both cost reasonableness and recovery of the categories and significant costs associated with compliance with the practices in this proceeding.") 	
	 TURN Reply Comments 4-2-10, pp. 12-16 TURN Reply Comments on PD, pp. 3-4 (advocating modifications to the PD to make clear that cost reasonableness will be fully explored prior to utility cost recovery, in agreement with DRA) 	
TURN demonstrated that the reporting requirements proposed by R.10-02-005 should be continued and expanded to include data points recommended by TURN. [Hours coded as "RR"]	 D.10-02-005, p. 25-26 and Appendix A; compare with R.10-02-005, Appendix A (requiring a more narrow set of data points) TURN Opening Comments 3-12-10, pp. 18-24 (recommending the addition of the following data points which were added in D.10-07-048: total number of active accounts for CARE, FERA and non- CARE/FERA customers; billing cycle data, indicating the 	
	 number of customers paying 100% of the billed amount, 50- 99% of the billed amount, and >50% of the billed amount, separately reported for CARE, FERA, non-CARE/FERA, and Medical Baseline residential accounts; data for Medical Baseline customers, including number of active accounts, non-pay disconnections, reconnections, 	

	and % reconnected;	
	 additional time periods for arrearage tracking, and on a <i>quarterly</i> basis, include monthly arrearage dollars in each vintage category.) 	
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should adopt protections related to service disconnection for customers who are especially sensitive to the health and safety risks associated with loss of utility service. While the Commission did not adopt the additional limits on remote disconnection proposed by TURN, the Commission agreed to consider additional consumer protections related to remote disconnection in the second phase of R.10-02-005. [Hours coded as "DP"]	 D.10-02-005, p. 20, fn. 40 (offering a temporary definition of "sensitive customers" to be re-considered in Phase 2 of R.10-02-005); pp. 21-22 (requiring that all utilities "provide a field representative who can collect a payment in-person or make arrangements for payment from those customers who are on medical baseline or life-support prior to any disconnection" as a last attempt to avoid disconnection of this "vulnerable customer group") 	
	 D.10-07-048, pp. 27-28 ("In the second phase of this proceeding we will address the following issues (k.) How should sensitive customers be defined, and how can utilities identify such customers?") 	
	 D.10-07-048, pp. 27-28 ("In the second phase of this proceeding we will address the following issues(e.) Should the utilities establish a uniform protocol for remote disconnections?") 	
	 TURN Opening Comments 3-12-10, pp. 14-18 (discussing the need for such protections, proposing a definition of "sensitive customers"; and discussing the challenges of and some methods for identifying sensitive customers) 	
	 TURN Reply Comments on PD, pp. 1-3 (advocating a clear and consistent definition of customers to be subject to heightened protections surrounding service disconnection) 	
TURN demonstrated the importance of	D.10-07-048, pp. 17-18 (citing the	

utility communications with their customers in the customer's preferred language. [Hours coded as "Com"]	 comments of TURN and Greenling, "We agree that many important communications may not be received when there is a language barrier As discussed below, a topic of the next workshop in this proceeding will be identification of language choice by the customer.") D.10-07-048, p. 27 (determining that the issue of customer choice of language for utility communications should be explored in the second phase of R.10-02-005) TURN Opening Comments 3-12-10, pp. 4-7
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should consider clarifying the role of utility customer service representatives (CSRs) in educating customers about assistance programs. [Hours coded as "Com"]	 D.10-07-048, p. 27 (determining that the issue of the role of CSRs should be explored in the second phase of R.10-02-005) TURN Opening Comments 3-12-10, p. 7 (advocating more standardization in CSR communications with customers) TURN Reply Comments 4-2-10, pp. 4-6 (advocating that CSRs educate customers about assistance programs)
TURN contributed to the Commission's evaluation of the utility proposals to use CARE funds to leverage federal dollars for emergency financial assistance grants for low-income utility customers. [Hours coded as "TEAF"]	 D.10-07-048, pp. 6-7 (generally discussing the Commission's adoption of each utility's Temporary Energy Assistance for Families (TEAF) program via 4 resolutions issued in April 2010) Res. G-3444 (analyzing PG&E's TEAF proposal in terms of the following criteria: consistency with R.10-02-005; benefits to customers in need; shareholder vs. ratepayer contributions; minimization of administrative costs; and consumer protections, including transparency and accountability of program spending and results); see also Res.

	 using this same framework), Res. E-4328 (SDG&E), and Res. G-3446 (SoCalGas). TURN Response to PG&E AL G-3097-G/3622-E (recommending the adoption of PG&E's proposal because it would deliver significant benefits to PG&E's customers at a time when this assistance is greatly needed; it includes a meaningful financial contribution from PG&E's shareholders; it maximizes direct benefits to customers from ratepayer funds by keeping administrative costs to a minimum; and it incorporates important ratepayer protections related to program transparency and accountability, consistent with R.10-02-005); <i>see also</i> TURN Protest of SDG&E AL 2448-E-A, TURN Protest of SDG&E AL 2151-E-A/1937-G-A, and TURN Protest of SOCalGas AL 4086-A (using this same framework in all cases) See i.e., Res. G-3444, p. 10 (discussing TURN's analysis of and support for PG&E's proposal)
TURN demonstrated that the Commission should ensure that the utility TEAF programs maximize direct benefits to customers in need by limiting the use of ratepayer funds on administrative costs. [Hours coded as "TEAF"]	 Res. G-3444, pp. 7-8 (requiring PG&E to keep ratepayer funded administrative costs to a minimum, consistent with TANF guidelines) TURN Response to PG&E AL G-3097-G/3622-E, pp. 5-6 (discussing PG&E's proposed administrative costs and arguing, "Using the bulk of ratepayer funds to provide direct benefits to customers, as PG&E has proposed, maximizes the ratepayer payback from this investment. The Commission should ensure that this remains the case in approving PG&E's proposal."). Res. E-4327, p. 13 (discussing TURN's protest related to SCE's administrative costs proposal, SCE's

	clarifications, and stating, "SCE's clarifications are satisfactory to TURN concerns. Therefore, the Commission finds TURN's protest moot and SCE's allocation for administrative costs to be reasonable.")
	 Res. E-4328, pp. 17-18 (discussing TURN's protest related to SDG&E's administrative costs proposal, SDG&E's clarifications, and finding that because SDG&E's clarifications about administrative costs satisfy TURN's concerns, the Commission should authorize SDG&E's proposed allocation.)
	 Res. G-3446, pp. 17-18 (discussing TURN's protest related to SoCalGas' administrative costs proposal, SoCalGas' clarifications, and finding that because SoCalGas' clarifications about administrative costs satisfy TURN's concerns, the Commission should authorize SoCalGas' proposed allocation.)
TURN demonstrated that the Commission, as part of its approval of the TEAF programs, should encourage the utilities to increase their charitable contributions to emergency financial assistance programs. [Hours coded as "TEAF"]	 Res. E-4327, p. 13 (discussing TURN's recommendation that SCE further increase shareholder contributions for emergency financial assistance for customers and responding, "Additionally, the Commission highly encourages SCE to continually increase shareholders [sic] contribution towards payment assistance for needy customers as it would help to maximize benefits.")
	 Res. E-4328, p. 19 ("We do agree with TURN that during these economic conditions, any increased contribution [from shareholders] would provide greater program benefits to the utility's customers and so we continue to encourage SDG&E to increase its shareholder eontributions to NTN [Neighbor-to- Neighbor] in 2010 in order to provide the maximum program

benefits to its customers if possible.")
 Res. G-3446, p. 19 ("We do agree with TURN that during these economic conditions, any increased contribution [from shareholders] would provide greater program benefits to their customers. Therefore, we encourage SoCalGas to continually increase its shareholder contributions to GAF [Gas Assistance Fund] in 2010 in order to provide the maximum program benefits to its customers if possible.")

B. Duplication of Effort (§§ 1801.3(f) & 1802.5):

		Claimant	CPUC Verified
a.	Was DRA a party to the proceeding? (Y/N)	Yes	
b.	Were there other parties to the proceeding? (Y/N)	Yes	
c.	If so, provide name of other parties: The City and County of San Franc Disability Rights Advocates, The Greenlining Institute, the National Cons Center, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas and Electric C Southern California Gas Company, Southern California Edison Company	sumer Law ompany /	
d.	Describe how you coordinated with DRA and other parties to avoid d or how your participation supplemented, complemented, or contribu of another party:		
with inss con TU rer cus cree lan con exp con gro dis coo	om the outset of this proceeding, TURN has been coordinating our coverag th DRA and the other consumer groups to avoid duplication to the extent per tance, the consumer groups agreed on an allocation of issue coverage in op mments filed March 12, 2010, with each party taking the lead on certain iss JRN Opening Comments 3-12-2010, p. 3.) TURN provided an extensive sl note disconnections, especially the need for in-person contact with particul stomers during service disconnection; on reporting requirements; on re-esta edit deposits; and on limited issues associated with customer communication guage access and the role of CSRs. Also, because of TURN's work direct nsumers, TURN was also able to provide unique anecdotal information abor periences of consumers interfacing with utility credit and collections practi- ments filed April 2, 2010, TURN complemented the showing of other com- puss on issues we had not addressed in opening comments, including tracki- connection rates with benchmarks; payment plans; and utility cost recover- perience to researching and drafting opening and reply comments, will eded to devote to researching and drafting opening and reply comments, will	ossible. For bening sues. (See howing on arly sensitive ablishment of ns, including ly with but the ces. In reply nsumer ing y. This close r groups)	

Iditionally, TURN was the only party to file a response or protest to the utility advice ters proposing programs to implement the Commission's directive in R.10-02-005 garding using CARE funds to leverage federal ARRA/TANF funds for emergency nancial assistance for low-income utility customers. These programs, called Temporary tergy Assistance for Families (TEAF) in D.10-07-048, were adopted by the Commission resolutions adopted in April 2010.	
or these reasons, TURN submits that there was no undue duplication between TURN's rticipation and that of DRA and the other consumer groups, and that any duplication rved to supplement, complement or contribute to the showing of other consumer groups the proceeding.	

C. Additional Comments on Part II (use line reference # or letter as appropriate):

#	Claimant	CPUC	Comment

PART III: REASONABLENESS OF REQUESTED COMPENSATION (to be completed by Claimant except where indicated)

A. General Claim of Reasonableness (§§ 1801 & 1806):

Concise explanation as to how the cost of claimant's participation bears a reasonable relationship with benefits realized through participation (include references to record, where appropriate)	CPUC Verified
TURN cannot easily identify precise monetary benefits to ratepayers from our work in related to D.10-07-048, given the nature of the issues presented. However, the Commission should treat this compensation request as it has treated similar past requests with regard to the difficulty of establishing specific monetary benefits associated with TURN's participation. ¹	
TURN's advocacy reflected in D.10-07-048 addressed policy matters rather than specific rates or disputes over particular dollar amounts. As a result, TURN cannot identify precise monetary benefits to ratepayers from our participation. However, our efforts will afford residential customers greatly expanded opportunities to avoid service termination and continue receiving gas and electricity service. Because utility shutoffs trigger all	

¹ See, i.e. D.06-10-013, p. 23, issued in R.04-01-006, addressing post-2003 low-income policies and programs (finding that TURN's efforts had been productive under the meaning of the intervenor compensation statute, since TURN's efforts "influenced the Commission to adopt policies that will increase the likelihood that low-income customers will continue to receive gas and electricity service during the winter of 2005-2006.").

kinds of financial impacts, including service reinstatement costs, food	
spoilage and replacement costs, and possibly eviction, in addition to a host	
of health and safety issues, policies that assist consumers in being able to	
pay their bills, manage arrearages, and avoid shutoffs bestow enormous	
benefits upon those Californians most in need of assistance. Accordingly,	
the Commission should find that TURN's efforts have been productive.	
the Commission should find that TURN's efforts have been productive.	

B. Specific Claim:

			CLAIMED				CPU	C Award	
			ATTOR	RNEY AND ADVO	CATE FEES				
ltem	Year	Hours	Rate \$	Basis for Rate*	Total \$	Year	Hours	Rate \$	Total \$
Hayley Goodson, TURN Staff Attorney	2010	128.25	\$295	D.08-04-010, p. 8 (authorizing "step" increases)	\$37,833.75				
Robert Finkelstein, TURN Litigation Director	2010	3.00	\$470	Res. ALJ-247	\$1,140.00				
Marcel Hawiger, TURN Staff Attorney	2010	0.75	\$325	D.10-04-050, p. 7	\$243.75				
				Subtotal:	\$39,487.50			Subtotal:	
				EXPERT FEE	S				
ltem	Year	Hours	Rate \$	Basis for Rate*	Total \$	Year	Hours	Rate \$	Total \$
Jeffrey A. Nahigian, JBS Energy, Inc.	2010	8.25	\$190	D.09-04-027, p. 10	\$1,567.50				
				Subtotal:	\$1,567.50			Subtotal:	
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N/A					\$0				
			-	Subtotal	: \$0			Subtotal:	

	ltem	Year	Hours	Rate \$	Basis for Rate*	Total \$	Year	Hours	Rate \$	Total \$
Hayley Gøødson		2010	11.75	\$147.50	1/2 regular hourly rate	\$1,733.13				
			4		Subtotal:	\$1,733.13	Subtotal:			
					COSTS					
#	Item		Detail			Amount	Amount			
1	Photocopying		Photocopies of TURN's pleadings related to Phase 1 of R.10-02-005		\$44.40					
2	Phone				related to TURN's e 1 of R.10-02-005	\$2.50				
3	Postag	e			to TURN's e 1 of R.10-02-005	\$14.68				
					Subtotal:	\$61.58			Subtotal:	
TOTAL REQUEST \$:						\$42,849.71	T	OTAL A	WARD \$:	
*lf ł	nourly rat	te based o	n CPUC	decision, pr	text; add additional ro ovide decision numb ally compensated at 1	er; otherwise,	attach r			1

C. Attachments or Comments Documenting Specific Claim (Claimant completes; attachments not attached to final Decision):

Attachment or Comment #	Description/Comment						
Certificate of Service							
Attachment 2	Time she	Time sheets for TURN's attorneys and expert consultant showing coded time entries					
Attachment 3	TURN di	TURN direct expenses associated with Phase 1 of R.10-02-005					
	this reque	ey time by issue area or activity, as evident on our attorney timesheets attaches est for compensation. wing codes relate to specific substantive issue areas addressed by TURN:					
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	Code	Stands For:]				
	Code Ben	Stands For: Benchmarks – work related to comparing utility disconnection rates and eliminating the discrepancy between utilities and CARE / non-CARE customer shutoff rates within each utility					
		Benchmarks – work related to comparing utility disconnection rates and eliminating the discrepancy between utilities and CARE / non-CARE					

	СРО	Customer Payment Options work related to payment plans and other payment options, including customer choice of billing date					
	Dep	Customer Deposits work related to deposits, particularly, re- establishment of credit deposits following late payment or service termination for non-payment, intended to reduce the financial burden on customers already struggling to keep up with bills and prevent shutoff					
	DP	Disconnection Protections – work related to consumer protections associated with service disconnection, including protections for "sensitive customers" and remote disconnections					
	RR	Reporting Requirements – advocacy related to reporting requirements					
	TEAF	Temporary Energy Assistance for Families – work related to Res. G- 3444, Res. E-4327, Res. 4328, and Res. G-3446, which authorized the use of CARE funds by PG&E, SCE, SDG&E, and SoCalGas (respectively) as matching funds to leverage federal grants for customer emergency financial assistance available through the TANF Emergency Fund					
		as additionally allocated attorney time to the following codes:					
	Code Stands For: Coord Coordination with other parties meetings, phone calls, e-mails with						
		DRA and other intervenors about issue coverage, strategy, etc.					
	GP	General Participation work that spans multiple issues and/or would not vary with the number of issues that TURN addresses, for the most part					
	PD	Proposed Decision work on analyzing, commenting on, lobbying on, strategizing on the PD and revisions thereto					
	Finally, TURN has coded hours "Comp" that were devoted to preparation of this request for eompensation.						
Comment 2	Hourly F	Rates for TURN Attorneys:					
	Hayley Goodson's 2010 Rate						
	In Res. ALJ-247, the Commission did not adopt any COLA adjustment for 2010. However, it explicitly continued the previously adopted policy of "step increases" for 2008 and beyond. Res. ALJ-247, pp. 4-5. In D.08-04-010, the Commission had provided for up to two annual 5% "step increases" in hourly rates within each experience level for all intervenor representatives, and specifically explained that an attorney would be eligible for additional step increases upon reaching the next higher experience level. D.08-04-010, pp. 2, 11-12.						
	the hourly	eeks an hourly rate of \$295 for Ms. Goodson's work in 2010. This figure repressy rate previously adopted for her work in 2008 and 2009 escalated by a 5% step (rounded to the nearest \$5 increment). Ms. Goodson is a 2003 law school gradu	р				

	 In 2008, TURN sought and was awarded an hourly rate of \$280, the low end of the range set for attorneys with 5-7 years of experience. D.08-08-027, p. 5 (adopting the requested rate), and D.08-04-010, p. 5 (setting the ranges for 2008). This is the first step increase TURN has sought for Ms. Goodson upon reaching this experience level. TURN's showing in support of this requested increase is based on and consistent with the showing UCAN made in C.08-08-026 in support of the requested increase for its attorney's hourly rate. The Commission approved the requested increase in D.10-08-018 (p. 8).
	Marcel Hawiger's 2010 RateTURN requests that the Commission apply the 2009 rate for Marcel Hawiger to his very limited number of hours in 2010 in this proceeding. However, we reserve the right to seek a higher billing rate for Mr. Hawiger's work in 2010 in future requests for compensation.
Comment 3	TURN asked Mr. Nahigian of JBS Energy to attend PG&E's focus groups on customer communication that were held in Sacramento, whereas the Bay Area focus groups were attended by TURN employees. TURN used the data obtained from PG&E's focus groups in preparing our comments in this proceeding. By sending Mr. Nahigian rather than TURN attorney Hayley Goodson (TURN's lead on this case), TURN was able to avoid travel-related expense because Mr. Nahigian lives and works in the Sacramento area. Mr. Nahigian's time devoted to participating in these focus groups and reporting back to TURN was a significantly more efficient use of resources than would have been required for Ms. Goodson to attend.

D. CPUC Disallowances & Adjustments (CPUC completes):

#	Reason

PART IV: OPPOSITIONS AND COMMENTS

Within 30 days after service of this claim, Commission Staff

or any other party may file a response to the claim (see § 1804(c))

(CPUC completes the remainder of this form)

A. Opposition: Did any party oppose the claim (Y/N)?

If so:

Party	Reason for Opposition	CPUC Disposition

B. Comment Period: Was the 30-day comment period waived (*see* Rule 14.6(2)(6)) (Y/N)?

If not:

Party	Comment	CPUC Disposition

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Claimant [has/has not] made a substantial contribution to Decision (D.)
- 2. The claimed fees and costs [, as adjusted herein,] are comparable to market rates paid to experts and advocates having comparable training and experience and offering similar services.
- 3. The total of reasonable contribution is \$_____.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

1. The claim, with any adjustment set forth above, [satisfies/fails to satisfy] all requirements of Public Utilities Code §§ 1801-1812.

ORDER

- 1. Claimant is awarded \$_____.
- 2. Within 30 days of the effective date of this decision, _____ shall pay claimant the total award. Payment of the award shall include interest at the rate earned on prime,

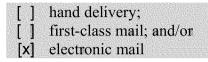
three-month commercial paper as reported in Federal Reserve Statistical Release H.15, beginning _____, 200__, the 75^{th} day after the filing of claimant's request, and continuing until full payment is made.

- 3. The comment period for today's decision [is/is not] waived.
- 4. [This/these] proceeding[s] [is/are] closed.
- 5. This decision is effective today.

Dated _____, at San Francisco, California.

Attachment 1: Certificate of Service by Customer

I hereby certify that I have this day served a copy of the foregoing **CLAIM AND ORDER ON REQUEST FOR INTERVENOR COMPENSATION** by (check as appropriate):



to the following persons appearing on the official Service List:

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Attachment 2

Time sheets for TURN's attorneys and expert consultant showing coded time entries

Date	Attorney	Activity	Description	Time Spent
Attorney:	BF			
3/10/2010) BF	Cost	Review HG e-mail memo re: disconnection position for cmmts; draft response	0.50
4/2/2010) BF	Cost	Review reply cmmts; email HG re: same	0.50
Total: Co	st			1.00
3/18/2010) BF	TEAF	Review and edit protest to SCG A.L. on fed funds	0.75
3/18/2010) BF	TEAF	Review HG drafts of protests to util ALs on fed funding	0.75
3/23/2010) BF	TEAF	Discuss fed funding issues w/ HG; e-mail to DRA	0.50
Total: TE	AF			2.00
 Total: BF				
Total. DI				3.00
Attorney:		Dan	null outs has herebing discourse the set	2.00
4/2/2010		Ben	reply cmts benchmarking disconnection rates	
Total: Be	n			2.00
2/4/2010) HG	COM	review PG&E focus group materials, compile input from colleagues for PG&E	1.00
2/8/2010) HG	COM	discuss focus groups coverage internally & with JBS and DRA; attend 2 Oakland focus groups	5.00
2/9/2010) HG	COM	prep Jeff Nahigian for Sacto focus groups tonight	0.75
2/10/2010) HG	COM	prep Larry for focus groups in SF on Thursday; review Jeff's notes from Sacto	1.50
3/4/2010) HG	СОМ	focus groups; review Lee-Whei's notes from Oak groups review notes fm PG&E focus gps, gather data re TURN complaints, draft cmts	1.75
			(customer communications)	
3/8/2010		COM	talk to GL about customer outreach/education issues in OIR; review doc fm GL	0.75
3/11/2010 4/1/2010		COM COM	edit, finalize cmts on customer communications reply cmts customer communications	0.75 2.00
4/2/2010		COM	reply cmts cont. customer communications	0.50
Total: CC	DM			14.00
3/10/2010 4/2/2010		CPO CPO	work on cmts re customer payment options reply cmts customer payment options, finalize	1.00 3.75
Total: CP	0			
				4.75
2/26/2010) HG	Comp	discuss NOI and comp request for P.09-06-022 with Bob	0.25
3/4/2010		Comp	draft NOI	2.00
9/27/2010		Comp	work on comp req /D.10.07-048	7.00
9/28/2010) HG	Comp	cont. work on comp req /D.10-07-048	2.50
Total: Co	mp			11.75
2/5/2010) HG	Coord	prep for conf call w/ consumer groups re new OIR, attend conf call	2.00
2/5/2010	, 10	Coord	prop for com can w/ consumer groups to new Offe, auchu com can	2.00

Date	Attorney	Activity	Description	Time Spent
2/11/2010	HG	Coord	prep for tomorrow's conf call w/ consumer groups re coordinating cmts	0.50
2/12/2010		Coord	prep for, attend consumer coordination conference call	2.00
3/5/2010	HG	Coord	prep for conf call with intervenors; coordination conf call w/ intervenors	1.50
3/10/2010	HG	Coord	discuss remote shutoff coverage w/ DRA; start to review draft cmts fm DRA, DisabRA/GL	0.50
3/11/2010	HG	Coord	coordination w/ DRA, NCLC	0.50
3/17/2010	HG	Coord	talk to DRA about discovery on IOU op cmts (DRA will send DR)	0.25
3/19/2010	HG	Coord	discuss IOU op cmts w/ DisabRA	0.25
3/29/2010	HG	Coord	discuss reply cmts with NCLC	0.25
Total: Coo	ord			7.75
4/1/2010	UC	Cost	and sente a set issues	6.00
4/1/2010 5/3/2010		Cost Cost	reply cmts cost issues read IOU responses to ALJ ruling; notes;	6.00 3.50
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Total: Cos	it			9.50
2/9/2010	HG	DP	rsch NY remote shutoff protections	1.50
3/4/2010		DP	talk to Nina, Jeff re AMI benefits/costs re remote disconnection	0.25
3/8/2010		DP	talk to Jeff about remote disconnect charges	0.25
3/9/2010	HG	DP	rsch, draft cmts (shutoff protections)	5.75
3/10/2010	HG	DP	cont work on shutoff protections	1.00
3/12/2010	HG	DP	input fm Marcel; edits fm Jeff, Nina on shutoff protections; edit, finalize that section	3.00
4/28/2010	HG	DP	discovery draft DR to all IOUs re shutoff protocols for weather and high sensitivity customers	0.50
5/3/2010	HG	DP	read IOU responses to TURN DR	2.00
Total: DP				14.25
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3/10/2010		Dep	work on cmts on re-establishment of credit deposits	4.75
3/11/2010	HG	Dep	rsch United Way study re making ends meet, edit; references to DRA recs;	2.75
4/2/2010	HG	Dep	finalize cmts on deposits reply cmts deposits	1.00
Total: Dep)			8.50
				0.00
2/4/2010	HG	GP	attend CPUC meeting for discussion of new OIR; discuss w/ DRA and internally	1.00
3/3/2010	HG	GP	review OIR, start working on opening comments, outline	1.50
3/12/2010		GP	finalize cmts (procedural issues, conclusion, cross ref other parties, etc)	3.00
3/16/2010	HG	GP	begin reading op cmts of parties, notes for reply cmts	2.75
3/31/2010	HG	GP	cont reading op cmts, notes for reply cmts	7.50
4/2/2010	HG	GP	begin reading reply cmts of other parties	1.00
4/5/2010	HG	GP	cont. reading other parties reply cmts	
Total: GP				18.50
C/17/0010	uc	20		
6/17/2010	HG	PD	read PD	0.25

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Date	Attorney	Activity	Description	Time Spent
7/6/2010	HG	PD	discuss cmts on PD w/ DRA, DisabRA	0.25
7/6/2010		PD	review materials, begin drafting cmts on PD	2.00
7/7/2010		PD	cont drafting cmts on PD	3.00
7/7/2010		PD	begin review of other parties op cmts	1.50
7/12/2010		PD	cont review of other parties op cmts & draft reply cmts	4.00
7/12/2010		PD	skim other parties' reply cmts	0.50
7/22/2010		PD	talk with DRA re exparte meetings	0.30
7/26/2010 7/28/2010		PD PD	prep for, attend ex parte meetings with consumer gps review revised PD; attend ex parte meeting with consumer gps	2.00 2.50
Total: PD				16.25
3/10/2010	HG	RR	review proposed rep. reqs in OIR, compare with data being provided to TURN fm SCE and Sempra; draft cmts re importance of rep reqs and recommend expanded data points	3.00
3/11/2010	HG	RR	continue, finalize cmts on reporting reqs	1.00
7/19/2010		RR	discuss reporting reqs meeting w/ DRA	0.50
7/23/2010		RR	conf call w/ IOUs on reporting reqs	1.50
7/28/2010		RR	reporting reqs conf call with IOUs	1.00
Total: RR				7.00
2/8/2010	HG	TEAF	rsch, edit PG&E's REACH advice letter; discuss w/ DRA	1.25
2/9/2010		TEAF	add to edits - PG&E REACH advice letter, discuss w/ DRA, PG&E review	1.00
		12111	DRA edits	1100
2/10/2010	HG	TEAF	(PG&E's REACH AL) rsch, respond to DRA's request for info	0.50
2/11/2010		TEAF	materials to DRA re PG&E REACH proposal	0.50
2/12/2010		TEAF	discuss PG&E REACH proposal w/ DRA	0.25
2/12/2010		TEAF	discuss SF focus groups w/ Larry	0.25
2/18/2010		TEAF	discuss PG&E REACH proposal w/ DRA	0.25
2/22/2010		TEAF	review latest draft of PG&E AL edits fm DRA	0.25
2/24/2010		TEAF	read PG&E's REACH AL; outline TURN's response	1.50
2/25/2010		TEAF	draft response to PG&E's REACH AL	5.50
2/26/2010		TEAF	edit response to PG&E's REACH AL; discuss w/ DRA	0.50
3/2/2010			discuss PG&E's REACH AL w/ DRA; discuss progress by other IOUs on	
3/2/2010	HU	TEAF		1.00
2/1//2010			putting together similar proposals w/ DRA; finalize TURN response	0.70
3/16/2010		TEAF	read SCE, SDG&E, SoCalGas ALs re CARE/TANF program	0.50
3/17/2010	HG	TEAF	talk to DRA about CARE/TANF advice letters (SCE, Sempra) TURN will prepare responsive pleadings; discuss strategy with Bob; rsch for protests	2.50
3/18/2010	HG	TEAF	draft protest of SoCalGas AL; draft protest of SDG&E AL; notes for SCE protest	6.50
3/19/2010	HG	TEAF	draft SCE AL protest, discuss w/ BF; finalize all 3 protests	2.00
3/22/2010	HG	TEAF	read SCE, Sempra replies to TURN protests of TANF/CARE Als	0.25
3/23/2010		TEAF	Sempra CARE/TANF Als discuss next steps re Sempra IOUs' reply to TURN	0.75
3/29/2010	HG	TEAF	protest / ED draft resolution w/ DRA, BF Sempra CARE/TANF Als discuss next steps w/ DRA and draft follow-up email	0.50

Total: TEAF

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Date	Attorney	Activity	Description	Time Spent
Total: H	 G			140.00
	: JBSJ Nahi			0.05
	0 JBSJ Nahi 0 JBSJ Nahi		discuss focus group stuff w/Hayley prep for and attend focus group	0.25 6.00
	0 JBSJ Nahi 0 JBSJ Nahi		debrief TURN/JBS and brainstorm solutions	1.50
Total: CO	MC			7.75
3/8/201	0 JBSJ Nahi	igian DP	discuss remote disconnect costs/policies	0.25
	0 JBSJ Nahi		review TURN draft comments	0.25
Total: DF	 D			0.50
Total: JE	 3SJ Nahigia	 n		
Attorney	·MH			
3/12/201		DP	Research tariffs and decisions re termination of service; propose rule re termination in winter	0.75
Total: DF				0.75
Total: MI	·			0.75
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Attachment 3

TURN direct expenses associated with Phase 1 of R.10-02-005

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Expenses.

Date	Activity	Description	Billed
Activity: \$0			
	Photocopies	Advise letter. 7pp x 2cc	\$2.80
3/5/2010	Photocopies	NOI. 10pp x 2cc	\$4.00
3/12/2010	Photocopies	Opening Comment. 58pp x 2cc	\$23.20
4/2/2010	Photocopies	Reply Comments. 18cc x 2pp	\$7.20
7/7/2010	Photocopies	Comment on the Proposed Decision of Commissioner Grueneich. 10pp x 2cc	\$4.00
7/12/2010	Photocopies	x 2cc Reply Comments on the Proposed Decision of Commissioner Grueneich. 8pp x 2cc	\$3.20
 Total: \$Co	pies		\$44.40
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Activity: \$			·=
	Phone/Fax	Sprint Invoice; \$2.01	\$2.01
6/15/2010	Phone/Fax	Sprint Invoice; \$0.49	\$0.49
Total: \$Pho	one		
			\$2.50
Activity: \$			
3/2/2010	-	Advise letter	\$2.10
3/5/2010	Postage	NOI.	\$2.10
3/12/2010	Postage	Opening Comment.	\$3.50
	Postage	Reply Comments.	\$2.78
7/7/2010	Postage	Comment on the Proposed Decision of Commissioner Grueneich.	\$2.10 \$2.10
7/12/2010	Postage	Reply Comments on the Proposed Decision of Commissioner Grueneich.	\$2.10
Total: \$Pos	stage		
			\$14.68
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