PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY SmartMeter™ CPUC Staff Inquiry Data Response

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QUESTION 5

Provide current deployment plans which describe the timing and budget for the following:

- a. How PG&E's AMI meters and communication system will be completely built out (include geographic deployment plan),
- b. Replacement or modification of PG&E's IT systems to support SmartMeters and SmartMeter enabled devices and rates,
- c. Marketing and outreach for SmartMeters and SmartMeter enabled devices and rates.

ANSWER 5

Please note that Attachments DRA_001-05-1 and DRA_001-05-2 to this response contain confidential information and are being submitted under CPUC Code Section 583.

The following attachments provide the requested schedule information:

- Attachment DRA_001-05-1 provides the current SmartMeterTM deployment plan by geographical area. Please note that PG&E is currently updating the deployment plan and will supplement this Data Request response with the revised plan as soon as it is available.
- Attachment DRA_001-05-2 provides the schedule for upgrades to PG&E's Information Technology systems needed to support the SmartMeterTM program.
- Attachment DRA_001-05-3 provides the current schedule for early 2011 customer outreach activities for the SmartMeter[™] program. Please note that PG&E provides bi-weekly updates of this outreach information to the CPUC staff (Marzia Zafar).

Regarding the request for budget information, PG&E is in the process of preparing its 2011 SmartMeter[™] program budget. It will be submitted for approval by PG&E's Boards of Directors in mid-February. PG&E will supplement this Data Request response at that time to provide the information.