## **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

## OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Revise Its Electric Marginal Costs, Revenue Allocation, and Rate Design Including Real Time Pricing, to Revise Its Customer Energy Statements, and to Seek Recovery of Incremental Expenditures. (U 39 M)

Application No. 10-03-014 (Filed March 22, 2010)

## NOTICE OF ES PARTE COMMUNICATION WITH COMMISSIONERS SANDOVAL AND FERRON

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**A.10-03-014** Michael Peevey, Commissioner Thomas R. Pulsifer, Administrative Law Judge

A.1003014 NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATION

Pursuant to Rule 8.3 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the Kern County Taxpayers Association hereby gives notice of the following Ex Parte communication in Application 10-03-014.

KernTax was invited to an All-Party Meeting regarding Application 09-12-020 by Commissioners Sandoval and Ferron. This All-Party Meeting was held on Wednesday, April 20, 2011 from 9:30 to 11:30 AM in the Golden State Training room, Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA, 94102. Michael Turnipseed, KernTax Executive Director; Jess Frederick, consultant; and Amy Turnipseed, consultant participated in the meeting with Commissioners Sandoval and Ferron. Communication was oral and written; the twelve written documents provided the new Commissioners are attached.

At the meeting, KernTax expressed oral concerns over the current rate structure; future Above Market Costs of the Renewables Portfolio Standards and the impact recently signed SB 2x on non-CARE upper-tier residential rates.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments:

- 1. KernTax Presentation to Kern County Board of Supervisors 110302
- 2. KernTax Presentation to Kern County Board of supervisors 110309
- 3. Letter to CPUC Commissioners 110331
- 4. Letter to CPUC Commissioners 110505
- 5. KernTax Presentation to Kern County Board of Supervisors 1108032
- 6. A.1003014 Evidentiary Hearing Statement 101006
- 7. A.1003014 Rebuttal to Evidentiary Hearing Statements 101029
- 8. A.1003014 Analysis of Historical and Proposed Rate Structures 101116
- 9. A.1003014 KernTax's Opening Brief 101220
- 10. SB142 The Ratepayers Fairness Act of 2011
- 11. SB 142 Briefing Paper and Exhibits
- 12. KernTax Analysis of Potential Effects on PG&E Residential Rates of RPS, AB32 and SB 2x.