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Subject: R.11-02-019: Conference Call to Discuss Request from ALJ Vieth Regarding Technical Workshops

In the note below, ALJ Vieth asks that we (PG&E, TURN, DRA, Southwest Gas, SoCalGas and SDG&E) work together to come up with a joint recommendation for subject matter experts to present at the technical workshops next week. We would like to arrange for a conference call in order to attempt to comply with her request. Please send us your availability for a call tomorrow (either late morning or early afternoon), and let us know who from your respective teams should be invited to participate in the call. If I have already reached you by phone, no need to respond twice. Thank you.

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From: Vieth, Jean [<mailto:jean.vieth@cpuc.ca.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2011 4:46 PM
To: tnhc@pge.com; Marcel Hawiger; Paul Gustilo; Prusnek, Brian C; Peleo, Marion
Cc: Cooke, Michelle
Subject: RE: Definition/overview of key concepts (6/22 workshop, R11-02-019)
Importance: High

Hello all:

I'm writing to you as the contacts for those who will be making presentations (utilities) and/or those who may have pipeline experts present at the workshop. I plan to include in the agenda two, brief discussions of specific foundational concepts/terms (for pipelines and for valves) for the benefit of the non-expert parties who will attend and don't have your background, so that they can participate more meaningfully.

I've listed below the concepts/terms, the date/time when I think they will need to be addressed, and the total time allowed for the discussion.

Pipelines: (6/22, about 9:30am -- 45 minutes total)

- High Consequence Area (HCA)
- Potential Impact Radius (PIR)
- Classes 1,2,3,4
- Historical & current regulations for establishing Maximum Allowable Operating Pressure (MAOP) [Sunil Shori]
- Identify potential threats or categories of threats
- Describe potential means to mitigate each threat or category of threats

Valves: (6/23, about 1pm -- 45 minutes total)

- Automatic control valves (ACV)
- Remote control valves (RCV)
- Criteria for considering whether to make changes to valves [Sunil Shori]

I'm looking for volunteers, who have the ability and stature (whether paid consultants or not), to explain/define the terms/concepts that Mr. Shori will not address and who would be perceived to do so in an even-handed way, without bias. I am holding about 15 minutes for Mr. Shori for each segment, which will leave about 30 minutes for the rest. The presentations should provide brief, practical and very assessable overviews.

It would be very helpful to me if you would work together to figure out whom to assign these individual pieces and then provide me with a joint recommendation asap. I am working to finalize the agenda and send it to the service list by this Friday, 6/17, but I do not need to put names in the agenda if it's not possible to resolve these "assignments" by that time.

Thanks for your anticipated cooperation,

ALJ Vieth

Jean Vieth

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