## DECLARATION OF JANE K. YURA SUBMITTED IN SUPPORT OF PG&E'S REQUEST TO LIFT OPERATING PRESSURE RESTRICTIONS AT THE TOPOCK COMPRESSOR STATION

## I, Jane K. Yura, state as follows:

- 1. I am currently Vice President, Gas Operations Standards & Policies for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) responsible for gas system engineering.
- 2. I received a BS in Mechanical Engineering from Cornell University in 1977 and completed the Stanford University Executive Program in 1995. I am a Professional Mechanical Engineer registered with the State of California.
- 3. As the PG&E officer responsible for gas system engineering, I am providing this declaration in support of PG&E's submission of its Supporting Information for the restoration of operating pressure on the suction side of the Topock Compressor Station.
- 4. I have reviewed the information in support of lifting the operating pressure restrictions on the suction side of the Topock Compressor Station. I certify that:
  - a. PG&E engineers have validated the engineering and construction through records review and ultrasonic and carbon equivalency testing of station piping and components as documented in the attached exhibits; and
  - b. PG&E successfully completed hydrostatic pressure testing of all piping segments and components on the suction side of the Topock Compressor Station for which we do not have complete records of a prior pressure test in accordance with the applicable standards at the time they were performed, in accord with Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 192, subpart J, at pressures above those required to confirm the safe operation of Topock at the established maximum allowable operating pressure (MAOP) with an additional margin of safety.
- 5. In my professional judgment, as the gas engineering officer for PG&E, the suction side of the Topock Compressor Station is safe to operate at the maximum allowable operating pressure (MAOP) of 660 pounds per square in gage (psig).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed at San Francisco, California, this 12th day of September 2011.

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JANE K. YURA, Vice President
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