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PG&E Officers and Directors:

I'm pleased to let you know that we have reached an important milestone in our journey to improve efficiency, coordination and public and employee safety within the Gas Operations organization. Later this morning, we will announce the signing of a 10-year facility lease—with extension options to stay for nearly 25 years more—for about 250,000 square feet of office space at Bishop Ranch in San Ramon.

The five-story building at 6121 Bollinger Canyon Road will house about 800 people. The majority of the Gas Operations team will move by October 2012, and plans are in place for a second group to relocate by the second quarter of 2013, when a Gas Transmission Control Center and Gas Distribution Control Center open alongside Gas Dispatch. We have future plans to create mirror backup control centers.

In a few hours, we will reach out to Gas Operations employees, followed by a broader communication to all PG&E employees. We also will send out a news release.

We are developing a comprehensive strategy to minimize the impact of this move on all employees affected by this relocation. Additionally, PG&E will be working with both IBEW and ESC leaders to ensure that we are in compliance with labor agreements throughout this process.

I look forward to welcoming you to our new space!

Nick

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