Redacted From: Sent: 6/21/2012 9:56:00 AM Jan Smutny-Jones (smutny@iepa.com); Dan Richard Redacted To: Bottorff, Thomas E (/O=PG&E/OU=CORPORATE/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TEB3); Cc: Clanon, Paul (paul.clanon@cpuc.ca.gov) (paul.clanon@cpuc.ca.gov); frank.lindh@cpuc.ca.gov (frank.lindh@cpuc.ca.gov); Jeremiah F. Hallisev Redacted Cherry, Brian K (/O=PG&E/OU=CORPORATE/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BKC7) Bcc: Subject: RE: John Bryson-- Breaking News Exactly... It was great seeing all of you last evening, even Frank. It certainly was a magical night for the Ronan family and they thought Smutny was a hoot! Thank you. From: Dan Richard Redacted Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2012 9:46 AM To: Jan Smutny-Jones Clanon, Paul (paul.clanon@cpuc.ca.gov); frank.lindh@cpuc.ca.gov; Jeremiah F. Hallisey; Bottorff, Thomas E; Cherry, BrianK Subject: Re: John Bryson-- Breaking News

That's fine, just so long as he doesn't mistakenly appoint Peter Darbee.

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On Jun 21, 2012, at 9:19 AM, Jan Smutny-Jones < Smutny@iepa.com > wrote:

I guess that was inevitable. I've put a call into the President suggesting Peter Darby as a replacement.

On Jun 21, 2012, at 8:15 AM, Redacted wrote:

Commerce Secretary John Bryson informed the department's employees Thursday that he has given the president a letter of resignation. "I have come to the conclusion that I need to step down to prevent distractions from this critical mission," Bryson said. Bryson had been on a medical leave of absence since June 11, following a seizure that resulted in his involvement in two car accidents.

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