

**PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
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Data Response**

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QUESTION 17

PG&E's August 11, 2011 data response to the UA Pipeline Local Unions states that when concerns are raised, PG&E employees are "required to contact internal investigative resources when appropriate." Since 2000, how many contacts have been made to PG&E's internal investigative resources regarding a safety or quality concern involving a gas pipeline?

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As per the agreement reached by counsel during a telephone conference on January 5, 2012, PG&E will respond to this data request as it pertains to natural gas transmission pipeline safety concerns.

For purposes of this question, PG&E has interpreted contact made to "internal investigative resources" to include contacts made to the Corporate Security and Internal Audit departments, the Compliance and Ethics Helpline, and responses to the Company's Business Conduct Questionnaire and the Code of Conduct Certification. Since 2000, 60 contacts regarding safety involving a gas pipeline have been made to the above mentioned resources.