

**PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
Gas Pipeline Safety OIR
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Data Response**

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DURING THE AUGUST 3, 2011 MEETING BETWEEN PG&E REPRESENTATIVES AND THE U.A. LOCAL 246 AND 342'S LAWYERS, PG&E'S REPRESENTATIVES STATED THAT PG&E WOULD HIRE WELDERS THROUGH "STAFF AUG." THE FOLLOWING QUESTION RELATE TO "STAFF AUG."

QUESTION 36

Have the welders recruited through "staff aug" become employees of PG&E or of other employers? If those welders have become employees of employers other than PG&E, please state the name of each employer that has employed "staff aug" welders and the number of welders they employ/have employed.

ANSWER 36

There are currently no welders recruited through "staff aug" who became employees of PGE. We are in the process of trying to hire welders recruited through staff augmentation (IBEW hiring hall).