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Commissioner Simon,

Pacific Gas and Electric Company issued \$750 million of 10- and 30-year Senior Notes yesterday. The transaction went extremely well (record-low coupons) and was our largest since emerging from bankruptcy.

Yesterday's transaction included four minority-owned banks, two of which (CL King and Lebenthal) represent first-time business with PG&E and continue our trend of trying to help develop such emerging firms (we also hired two firms for the first time on our last transaction). The other banks involved were Ramirez (Hispanic-owned) and Blaylock Robert Van (locally based African American-owned). This is in addition to our earlier transaction this year which included Loop as a bookrunner. While confidential, we also plan to include a minority-owned bank as a bookrunner on our next and last transaction of the year (scheduled for October). In total, we have already eclipsed last year's diverse financing spend percentage for the fifth year in a row.

Please let us know if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you in two weeks at the closing dinner celebrating our earlier transaction with Loop.

Nick

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Great news! Thank you! Do you have more info?

Timothy Alan Simon

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Two women owned firms were in the PGE deal today- Lebenthal and CL King.  
Perhaps our time is coming! Still more to do-

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