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PG&E Officers;

I am pleased to report that the DCP Team has taken the necessary steps to safely return Unit 2 to service and we expect to parallel to the grid late this evening following standard reactor startup procedures.

Below is an update on the DCP Team's efforts.

Overall Plant Status

- Unit 1: Unit 1 is safely operating at 100 percent power.
- Unit 2: Unit 2 is in Mode 2 and we project to parallel to the grid this evening (Oct. 15).

Forced Outage Progress

Today, the Unit 2 main bank transformer was declared operable just after 8 a.m. Reactor startup (Mode 2) was successful at 9:51 a.m. There are six modes; Mode 2 indicates that the unit is fully operational but not yet producing power on the grid, which occurs during Mode 1. The unit is projected to enter Mode 1 and parallel late this evening.

All required testing and validation ensuring the Unit 2 Phase A Capacitive Coupled Voltage Transformer (CCVT) is safe to operate was complete and confirmed prior to returning the equipment to service.

We applaud the hard work, focus and dedication our employees demonstrated to reach this milestone.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns.

Ed