## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Reform the Commission's Energy Efficiency Risk/Reward Incentive Mechanism

Rulemaking 12-01-005 (Filed January 12, 2012)

## NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATION

Pursuant to Rule 8.4(a) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure,
Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) hereby gives notice of four separate ex parte
communications. The communications occurred on Friday, December 7, 2012,
between approximately 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the offices of the California Public
Utilities Commission in San Francisco. The communications were oral, and each
included a handout, which is attached. [Rule 8.4(a)(c)]

Sidney Dietz, Director, Regulatory Relations, PG&E, initiated the separate communications with Michael Colvin, Advisor to Commissioner Mark Ferron; Colette Kersten, Advisor to Commissioner Catherine Sandoval; Damon Franz, Advisor to Commission President Michael Peevey; and Matthew Tisdale, Advisor to Commissioner Michael Florio. At each meeting, Steve Malnight, Vice President of Customer Energy Solutions, and Jana Corey, Director of Policy & Integrated Planning in Customer Energy Solutions, were present. [Rule 8.4(b)]

Mr. Dietz stated that while PG&E continues to support a savings-based incentive for EE performance, PG&E believes that the Alternate Proposed Decision (APD) is a reasonable alternative given the timing. Mr. Malnight stated that the incentive in the

APD is in line with incentives in the past and supports the CPUC's goals of providing predictable incentives for EE. Ms. Corey further stated that the APD recognizes the importance of incentives and provides the appropriate support for Commission policy of placing energy efficiency highest in the loading order. [Rule 8.4(c)]

Respectfully submitted,

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