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Subject: CPUC Data Request on Contract Dates

Sasha –

This email is intended to summarize our conversation regarding the request you submitted on March 4 for procurement contract dates for gas-powered generation facilities. I have provided the original request below for reference. Again, our apologies for the delay in responding to the request.

The Procurement Database which is coordinated by Cem Turnhal at CPUC and [Redacted] [Redacted] (cc'ed) at PG&E provides current contract information. The database is reflective of contracts as of October 2012 and can be used to determine the current contract information requested.

Pulling original contract information will require manual review of the physical contracts that is more time consuming to complete. We estimate that this information, if needed, can be provided by COB Tuesday, March 19. Please let me know if this information is still needed and, if so, if this due date will work for you all.

If you do need us to pull the original contract information and/or the current contract information updated to the current date, it would be helpful if you can provide 1) the IOU ID and 2) the official plant name. Alternatively, as discussed on the phone, please provide the exact source of the generation unit/facility names listed in the spreadsheet. Our initial review indicates that some of the facilities requested may be DWR-contracted facilities and not PG&E contracted facilities. As you indicated on the phone, these facilities may be included on the list because they are in PG&E's service territory and may not necessarily be PG&E-contracted facilities. It appears that the names are based on some of alias, or colloquial, name and not the official plant names for the units. Having the official plant name identified will help ensure PG&E correctly identifies these facilities. Our initial estimate is that we can also provide the updated new contract information (an update of the current October 2012 Procurement Database information) by COB Tuesday, March 19.

Please let us know your preference on how to proceed.

Original Request for Reference:

The CPUC Energy Division staff requests data regarding the procurement contract dates for gas-powered generation facilities that came online starting in 1998. If you can please fill out the missing data in the attached spreadsheet and return it to me by 4 pm Thursday, March 7th Alexander.Cole@cpuc.ca.gov. I am sorry about the fast turnaround time. This information has been requested by the commissioners.

As regards the specifics of the spreadsheet, it contains a list of generation facilities (Column A) that are or have been contracted to PG&E. We are asking for the start and end dates for the *original* contract and the capacity contracted for (columns C through E) and, if the facility has a current contract as of March 1st, 2013, the same information should be provided for the current contract (Columns G through J). If any of the facilities has multiple contracts, please add a new row or rows to accommodate this additional data.

Thank you for your help in providing this data. If you have any questions or specific concerns or cannot meet this deadline, please contact me as soon as possible.

Thanks,

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