Redacted From: Sent: 8/21/2013 1:40:22 PM To: Lafrenz, Donald J. (donald.lafrenz@cpuc.ca.gov) (donald.lafrenz@cpuc.ca.gov) Hughes, John (Reg Rel) (/O=PG&E/OU=Corporate/cn=Recipients/cn=J8HS); Cc: Hoglund, Teresa J (/O=PG&E/OU=Corporate/cn=Recipients/cn=TJH0) Bcc: Subject: Subject for our conference call today (CEMA) Dear Don, PG&E is filing an AL to raise transmission rates on 10/1/14 (subject to FERC approval) and would like to include an increase for the CEMA settlement and decision (D.13-06-007). Extract from the said decision is as follows: **Settlement Agreement:** 4.1. The Settling Parties agree that PG&E's CEMA-related expense request shall be reduced by \$5.0 million from \$22.844 to \$17.844 million. This includes a reduction in Customer Care costs of 1 331 Million 4.2. The Settling Parties agree that PG&E's CEMA-related capital request shall be reduced by \$2.5 million from \$26.104 to \$23.604 million, and that PG&E may include these \$23.604 million costs in Rate Base in its 2014 General Rate Case. 4.3. The Settling Parties agree that PG&E's total CEMA-related incremental costs shall be \$41,448 million. 4.5. The Settling Parties agree that PG&E's 2013 CEMA revenue requirement shall be \$26.537

million. PG&E's CEMA revenue requirement for 2014 onward shall be recovered but not relitigated through base revenues via PG&E's General Rate Case.

Decision:

Conclusions of Law

1. PG&E's 2013 CEMA revenue requirement should be \$26.537 million.

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ORDER

- 1. The settlement between Pacific Gas and Electric Company, The Division of Ratepayer Advocates, and The Utility Reform Network, which is affixed hereto as Attachment A, is approved.
- 2. Pacific Gas and Electric Company's (PG&E) Catastrophic Event Memorandum Account (CEMA) related expense request shall be reduced by \$5.0 million from \$22.844 million to \$17.844 million. This includes a \$1.331 million reduction in PG&E's CEMA related customer care expenses.
- 3. Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Catastrophic Event Memorandum Account related capital request shall be reduced by \$2.5 million from \$26.104 million to \$23.604 million.
- 4. Pacific Gas and Electric Company may include \$23.604 million in its Catastrophic Event Memorandum Account costs in rate base in its 2014 General Rate Case.
- 5. Pacific Gas and Electric Company's total Catastrophic Event Memorandum Account related incremental costs shall be \$41.448 million.

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7. Pacific Gas and Electric Company's \$26.537 million Catastrophic Event Memorandum Account revenue requirement shall be recovered but not re-litigated through base revenues in Pacific Gas and Electric Company's 2014 General Rate Case until such time as the Commission determines otherwise.

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Could you please let us know whether this is advisable?

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