

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the
Commission's Own Motion to Adopt
New Safety and Reliability Regulations
for Natural Gas Transmission and
Distribution Pipelines and Related
Ratemaking Mechanisms.

Rulemaking 11-02-019
(Filed February 24, 2011)

**SAFETY AND ENFORCEMENT DIVISION'S OPENING COMMENTS
TO COMMISSIONER FERRON'S ALTERNATE PROPOSED
DECISION ON RULE 1.1**

In accordance with Rule 14.3 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure ("Rule" or "Rules"), the Safety and Enforcement Division ("SED") submits these comments on the Alternate Proposed Decision of Commissioner Ferron Imposing Sanctions on Pacific Gas and Electric Company ("PG&E") for violations of Rule 1.1 ("Alternate Proposed Decision").

SED supports the Alternate Proposed Decision.

Respectfully submitted,

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