BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for the Recovery of Costs Associated with the Acquisition and Transfer of the Assets of the Hercules Municipal Utility. (U39E) Application 13-07-001 (Filed July 1, 2013)

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 the following ex parte communication. The communication occurred on Wednesday, January 15, 2014, at approximately 9:00 AM, by phone to the offices of the California Public Utilities Commission. The phone communication was oral only. [(Rule 8.4(a)]

Erik Jacobson, Director, Regulatory Relations, PG&E, initiated the communication with Julie Fitch, Chief of Staff to Commissioner Carla Peterman. Anu Vege, Regulatory Manager, Regulatory Relations, PG&E, also participated in the discussion. [Rule 8.4(b)]

Mr. Jacobson and Ms. Vege discussed with Ms. Fitch the language in the Proposed Decision which directed PG&E to close the transaction within 30 days of the issuance of the decision. Mr. Jacobson and Ms. Vege clarified the process and the associated timeline that would be required for the transaction to be completed. [Rule 8.4(c)] Respectfully submitted,

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