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Sent: 1/31/2014 8:41:06 PM
To: Poirier, Marcelo (marcelo.poirier@cpuc.ca.gov)
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Marcelo,

Here is some information on EMAP. Please let me know if you need more information.

Hope you have a great weekend too.

Meredith

In recognition of the need to be better prepared for a catastrophic event, PG&E benchmarked against utilities that have emergency response as a core capability. In 2013, PG&E then implemented its own initiative to enhance its capabilities in emergency response. PG&E created a company-wide emergency preparedness and response department. PG&E also adopted the Emergency Management Advancement Program to bring its response processes to industry leading standards over a 2 year time period.

The purpose of the briefing would be to discuss the benchmarking and the improvements to its emergency preparedness and response that PG&E is making through EMAP, such as new damage forecasting capabilities, more frequent and enhanced drills, outreach efforts with counties, improved employee preparedness and better logistics. We would also briefly discuss the work being done on plan for communications with CPUC during a catastrophic event.

> On Jan 31, 2014, at 4:32 PM, "Poirier, Marcelo" <marcelo.poirier@cpuc.ca.gov> wrote:

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> Thanks. Can you send me a sentence or two on the Emergency Preparedness Program.

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> Have a good weekend.

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> Marcelo

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Allen, Meredith [mailto:MEAe@pge.com]

> Sent: Friday, January 31, 2014 4:00 PM

> To: Poirier, Marcelo

> Subject:

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> Until new standards for the design and construction of overhead facilities in high fire-threat areas are adopted in Track 3, electric utilities and CIPs shall continue to comply with the Rule 31.1 requirement to design and construct their facilities' strength based on known local conditions, including Santa Ana windstorms, notwithstanding Rule 14.

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