From: Doll, Laura 4/16/2014 4:07:05 PM Sent: To: Malashenko, Elizaveta I. (elizaveta.malashenko@cpuc.ca.gov) Cc: Bcc: Subject: RE: Ken Bruno - Acting Program Manager for GSRB So very sorry to hear this news of Mike's absence. Your message to your team was beautifully and thoughtfully written. Thanks for sharing it. From: Malashenko, Elizaveta I. [mailto:elizaveta.malashenko@cpuc.ca.gov] Sent: Wednesday, April 16, 2014 1:34 PM To: Doll, Laura; Prusnek, Brian C (BPrusnek@semprautilities.com) Subject: FW: Ken Bruno - Acting Program Manager for GSRB Hello, Please see the announcement to SED staff below and. While Ken is coming up to speed, please copy me on any gas issues that need attention, so I can best assist Ken. Thank you, Liza From: Malashenko, Elizaveta I. Sent: Wednesday, April 16, 2014 12:06 PM To: SED Gas Safety & Reliability Branch

Cc: Bruno, Kenneth; Tyrrell, Denise; King, Paul; Jinbachian, Varoujan; Lo, Jeanette; Utility Safety Office

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Team.

Mike Robertson is going to be on leave for an extended period of time, effective last Monday. I'm not at liberty to say why and ask that we all respect Mike's privacy. We are not sure when Mike will be back, but the best estimate we have right now is July.

Effective immediately, Ken Bruno is the Acting Program Manager for the Gas Safety and Reliability Branch. I have not determined how to backfill his Program and Project Supervisor position in the Risk Assessment section and ask that you let me know if you are interested.

I have discussed this situation with PHMSA and they understand the challenge that we are facing with Mike being gone. PHMSA is going to work with us and support Ken Bruno in his Acting Program Manager duties. Mike did a tremendous amount of work and his absence will be felt. This is not going to be an easy time for all of us and will require everyone to step-up and do a little extra. As much as we'll miss Mike, we have great amount of talent and expertise in the GSRB and we will get through this. This is a time for all of us to come together and support one another.

Big "thank you" to Ken for stepping up at this challenging time. Ken has a lot to catch-up on, but he brings strong management skills and over 15 years of relevant work experience. Please do your best supporting Ken and follow his lead.

Please let Denise or me know if you have any questions.

Kind Regards,

Liza

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