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FYI. Chris' note to employees on PAS 55.

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PG&E Team:

Congratulations are in order to our Gas Operations team for earning two international certifications this month for the strength of how we manage our pipeline system.

Lloyd's Register, a respected independent auditing firm, has examined all areas of our gas asset management—everything from safety processes to information management to emergency response procedures and risk assessment—and determined our standards to be best in class.

I'm proud that we're among the first utilities in the world to hold both of these certifications. This is a big deal, and a sure sign we're moving in the right direction toward becoming the country's leading utility.

I want to recognize and thank Nick Stavropoulos and everyone supporting Gas Operations for your relentless focus on safety, particularly the team who worked over the past two and a half years to prepare for the audits. All of your efforts

have now been acknowledged on a global scale.

At the same time, this accomplishment is not an indication that we've crossed the finish line. Even though the audits found we have systems in place to identify areas that fall short of standards, we still have to be extra vigilant in finding and fixing those gaps. And, if we want to hold on to the certifications, we have to show continuous improvement year after year.

You'll be hearing more about this milestone as we celebrate over the next several weeks. In the meantime, learn more at this link<<http://pgeweb/gas/safetyexcellence/Pages/default.aspx>> and in the attached fact sheet and join me in applauding this job well done.

Chris