# AMENDMENT TO THE POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN GAS RECOVERY SYSTEMS (AMERICAN CANYON) AND PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

(PG&E LOG NO. 04P010)

THIS AMENDMENT ("Amendment") is by and between PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY ("PG&E"), a California corporation and GAS RECOVERY SYSTEMS, INC ("Seller"), a California Corporation. PG&E and Seller are sometimes referred to herein individually as "Party" and collectively as the "Parties."

### RECITALS

- A. On January 3, 1985, Seller (or Seller's predecessor, as applicable) and PG&E entered into a Power Purchase Agreement (as amended, the "PPA"), pursuant to which PG&E purchases electric power from Seller and Seller sells electric power to PG&E.
- B. On April 6, 2001, PG&E filed a voluntary petition under chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code in the San Francisco Division of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of California (the "Bankruptcy Court") (In re Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Bankr. Case No. 01-03923).
- C. On June 14, 2001, the California Public Utilities Commission (the "Commission") issued Decision 01-06-015, which approved as reasonable certain non-standard PPA energy price modifications.
- D. Seller and PG&E now desire to enter into the PPA energy price modification set forth below.

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### **AMENDMENT**

In consideration of the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, PG&E and Seller agree to modify the Agreement as follows:

# 1. FIXED ENERGY PRICE

Upon approval by the Bankruptcy Court as specified in Section 2 below, the energy price term specified in the PPA (PG&E's "full short-run avoided costs" or "full short-run avoided operating costs" as the case may be) shall be replaced for the lesser of the term of the PPA or five years with the applicable energy prices as specified in Attachment A, which is hereby incorporated by reference. Upon approval by the Bankruptcy Court as specified in Section 2 below, such amended energy prices shall become effective on July 16, 2001, at 00:00 PPT. No provision of the PPA other than the energy price term is or shall be deemed to be modified, amended, waived or otherwise affected by this Amendment. The Parties agree to reasonably cooperate and contest any challenge in any Commission proceeding that seeks to alter or modify the energy pricing terms set forth in Attachment A, including, but not limited to, any challenge to the reasonableness of PG&E having entered into this Amendment.

# 2. EFFECTIVENESS OF AMENDMENT

This Amendment shall not become effective unless and until it has been approved by the Bankruptcy Court. If the Bankruptcy Court has not approved this Amendment by July 27, 2001, this Amendment shall be deemed a nullity.

# 3. SIGNATURES

IN WITNESS WHEREFORE, Seller and PG&E have caused this Amendment to be executed by their authorized representatives.

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
a California Corporation
By Peruc Her:
Title: DIRECTOR, VE 12M
Date: 7/14/0)
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GAS RECOVERY SYSTEMS, INC.
a California corporation
Ву:
Alan J. Purves
Title: Chief Operating Officer
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### Attachment A

# Pacific Gas and Electric Company

# FIXED ENERGY PRICES FOR QUALIFYING FACILITIES UNDER D. 01-06-0151

Effective through December 31, 2001

	Starting Energy Value \$/kwh (a)	2001 TOU Hours	SRAC TF Base <sup>2</sup>	2001 TOU Factor <sup>3</sup>	2001 TO( Energy Price \$/kwi (e) = a * c
liocation of Annual Fixe	ed Price to Sea	sons:			Without Time-of-Use Meterin
Period A - Summer	0.053700	4,417	0.018748	0.879	0.04718
Period B - Winter	0.053700	4,343	0.023973	1,123	0.06033
Annual Average	0.053700	8,760	0.021338		0.05370
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Period A - Summer Peak	0.047181	<u>riods:</u> 774		1.065	
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak				1.065 1,022	0.05024
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak Off-Peak	0.047181	774			0.05024 0.04821
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak	0.047181 0.047181	774 903		1,022	0.05024 0.04821 0.04646
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak Off-Peak	0.047181 0.047181 0.047181	774 903 2,003		1,022 0.985	With Time-of-Use Meterin 0.05024 0.04821 0.04646 0.04463
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak Off-Peak Super Off-Peak	0.047181 0.047181 0.047181	774 903 2,003		1,022 0.985	0.05024 0.04821 0.04646
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak Off-Peak Super Off-Peak Period B - Winter	0.047181 0.047181 0.047181	774 903 2,003		1,022 0.985	0.05024 0.04821 0.04646 0.04483
Period A - Summer Peak Partial-Peak Off-Peak Super Off-Peak Period B - Winter Peak	0.047181 0.047181 0.047181 0.047181	774 903 2,003 737		1,022 0.985 0.946	0.05024 0.04821 0.04646

- These energy prices are derived solely for purposes of implementing the five-year fixed energy price (5.37 cents/kwh)
  option in CPUC Decision (D.) 01-06-015. These prices will be reallocated annually using appropriate TOU calendar hours.
- SRAC TF Base values reflect the seasonal allocation factors currently specified in PG&E's SRAC Transition Formula, as adopted by the CPUC in D.96-12-028. Seasonal values reflect the Base SRAC energy prices adopted in D.96-12-028. The annual average value shown derives from weighting the seasonal values by TOU period hours.
- 3. TOU factors allocate the fixed annual energy price for seasons, and seasonal values for time-of-use periods. Seasonal TOU factors are derived from the ratio of the seasonal SRAC TF Base values to the average annual value shown. Intraseasonal TOU factors are as adopted in D.96-12-028 (as corrected in CPUC D.97-01-027). Off-peak period values are calculated using seasonal period hours for the applicable year, per the following:

Period A (May 1 - October 31)

[Total Summer hours - (1,065 \* Summer
Peak hours) - (1,022 \* Summer Partial Peak
hours) - (0,948 \* Summer Super Off-Peak
hours)] / Summer Off-Peak hours
Period B (November 1 - April 30)

[Total Winter hours - (1,032 \* Winter PartialPeak hours) - (0,950 \* Winter Super Off-Peak
hours)] / Winter Off-Peak hours.

4. TOU energy price is the product of the starting energy value and the TOU factor. Energy prices shown do not include applicable line loss adjustments. Line loss adjustments will be determined in accordance with CPUC D.01-01-007.