

**PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
Wildfire Mitigation Plans Discovery 2022
Data Response**

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These questions relate to the attached news story published on February 27, 2022 in NBC Bay Area headlined, "PG&E Cited After Deploying 'Heli-Saw' in San Mateo County Park"¹ (news story). The news story states that Cal Fire had accused PG&E of jeopardizing public safety when it deployed a Heli-Saw without notice in Wunderlich County Park on December 9, 2021.

QUESTION 14

The news story states, "PG&E says it is conferring with Cal Fire over the Heli-Saw related violation notice as well as the permit dispute."

- a) What is the current status of discussions between Cal Fire and PG&E, related to the violation, noted above?
- b) What is the current status of the permit dispute, noted above?

ANSWER 14

- a) Please refer to Question 13 for the Cal Fire response. Currently, there are no discussions with Cal Fire regarding the use of the heli-saw.
- b) PG&E is currently working with Cal Fire representatives to resolve the permit dispute regarding forestry practices and utility exemption permits.

¹ <https://www.nbcbayarea.com/investigations/pge-cited-after-deploying-heli-saw-in-san-mateo-county-park/2824027/>.