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Sent: Thursday, April 12, 2007 11:50 AM
To: EDI Support
Subject: PG&E EDI Communication - DARSTA

Trading Partners,

Due to system migration issues, we must first apologize for the delay in communicating this message to you.

In the CPUC decision (D. 04-02-062) related to PG&E's exit from the bankruptcy, the Commission adopted an overall \$799 million reduction in rates that also included an \$18 million increase for DA customers. However, PG&E was not authorized at that time to recover the \$18 million from DA customers until a later CPUC decision was issued.

To track revenue requirements for the increase and implementation of the rate component charges, PG&E established the Direct Access Revenue Shortfall Tracking Account (DARSTA). Starting April 1, 2007, DA customers (Direct Access) began receiving either a one-time refund, or bill charges (in twelve installments) related to revenues from rate changes not reflected in their 2004 bills. During the week of March 12 through March 16, DA customers received a letter informing them of the DARSTA adjustments.

For those customers affected, the following line items are appearing in your EDI April invoices as follows:

SAC|C||EU|ADJ000|3764|||0|KH|0||| |DARSTA Adjustment^

SAC|C||EU|ADJ000|74506|||0|KH|0||| |DA CRS Adjustment^

SAC|C||EU|ADJ000|1582|||0|KH|0||| |Utility Users' Tax Adjustment^

This e-mail and following bill message will be posted to PG&E's EDI Website at http://www.pge.com/customer_service/edi/bill_message/ by Tuesday, April 17, 2007.

"The Adjustment section in the Electric Account Detail section of your bill includes Direct Access Revenue Shortfall Tracking Account (DARSTA) adjustments. This CPUC authorized adjustment represents charges/credits not included in your 2004 bill. For continuous DA customers, DA customers with medical baseline allowances and/or under the California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) Program, Ongoing CTC and Regulatory Asset components of the Direct Access Cost Responsibility Surcharge (DACRS) adjustments are also included (they are displayed as DACRS adjustment on the bill). The entire adjustments are billed in twelve monthly installments from April 2007 to March 2008 (note that if the sum of DARSTA and DACRS adjustment is a negative amount, the full amount for both items will be a one time refund in your April 2007 bill). Please refer to the letter on this subject previously sent to you."

If there are any questions regarding the details of the above communication, please contact PG&E's Customer Center at 1-800-743-5000. For any specific EDI

related questions, you may send your request to the EDI Team at EDISupport@pge.com.

Thank you,

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