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Advice Letter 2877-G/3139-E

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Subject: 2008 Gas and Electric Attrition Adjustments  
(2007 General Rate Case Decision 07-03-044)

Dear Mr. Cherry:

Advice Letter 2877-G/3139-E is effective January 1, 2008.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sean H. Gallagher".

Sean H. Gallagher, Director  
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**Advice 2877-G/3139-E**  
(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U39M)

**Subject: 2008 Gas and Electric Attrition Adjustments  
(2007 General Rate Case Decision 07-03-044)**

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) hereby submits the Attrition Adjustment for electric and gas rates for the year 2008, consistent with the provisions of Decision (D.) 07-03-044 in Application (A.) 05-12-002, PG&E's 2007 test year General Rate Case (GRC). This filing is submitted in compliance with the terms of the Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission in D. 07-03-044. PG&E requests that the Commission approve the attrition adjustments presented here effective January 1, 2008.

**Background**

In D. 07-03-044, the Commission adopted a settlement in PG&E's 2007 GRC concerning gas and electric distribution and electric generation revenue requirements for 2007 through 2010.

Paragraph 47 of the Settlement Agreement provides for an attrition adjustment to base revenues of \$125 million for 2008. Appendix E to the Settlement Agreement shows the allocation of this amount to the operating functions covered in the GRC:

Electric Distribution	\$63 million
Gas Distribution	22 million
Electric Generation	<u>40 million</u>
Total	<u>\$125 million</u>

These increases will be included in the total revenue requirements submitted by PG&E in the Annual Electric True-up (AET) (Advice 3115-E currently pending before the Commission) and the Annual Gas True-up (AGT) (to be filed October 31, 2007). The AET and AGT will consolidate the attrition increases with other revenue requirement changes as approved by the Commission and propose rate designs to recover the total authorized revenue requirement. (The AGT will also include the allocation of the gas distribution attrition increase between core and non-core distribution service and a revised Gas Preliminary Statement Part C - *Gas Accounting Terms and Definitions*, Part C.2.)

Table 1, attached, shows the cumulative adjustments to the base revenue amounts authorized in the 2007 GRC through January 1, 2008.

### **Protests**

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by letter sent via U.S. mail, by facsimile or electronically, any of which must be received no later than **November 12, 2007**, which is 21 days after the date of this filing.<sup>1</sup> Protests should be mailed to:

CPUC Energy Division  
Tariff Files, Room 4005  
DMS Branch  
505 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco, California 94102

Facsimile: (415) 703-2200  
E-mail: jnj@cpuc.ca.gov and mas@cpuc.ca.gov

Copies of protests also should be mailed to the attention of the Director, Energy Division, Room 4004, at the address shown above.

The protest also should be sent via U.S. mail (and by facsimile and electronically, if possible) to PG&E at the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission:

Brian K. Cherry  
Vice President, Regulatory Relations  
Pacific Gas and Electric Company  
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P.O. Box 770000  
San Francisco, California 94177

Facsimile: (415) 973-7226  
E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com

### **Effective Date**

In accordance with D. 07-03-044, PG&E requests this advice filing be effective **January 1, 2008**.

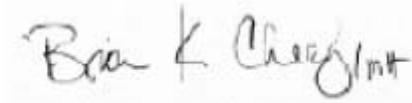
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<sup>1</sup> The 20 day protest period concludes on a weekend. PG&E is hereby moving this date to the following business day.

**Notice**

In accordance with General Order 96-B, Section IV, a copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically and via U.S. mail to parties shown on the attached list, and the service list parties for A. 05-12-002. Address changes should be directed to Rose de la Torre at (415) 973-4716. Advice letter filings can also be accessed electronically at:

**<http://www.pge.com/tariffs>**

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Vice President, Regulatory Relations

cc: Service List – A. 05-12-002

Attachment: Table 1

TABLE 1

Rolling Base Revenue Requirements  
2007 GRC Cycle  
(Thousands of Dollars)

	Electric Distribution	Electric Generation	Gas Distribution	Total
2007 Adopted GRC RRQ	2,965,600	1,019,755	1,073,444	5,058,800
less: Other Operating Revenue	(80,099)	(10,120)	(26,024)	(116,243)
less: FERC jurisdictional amount	(15,527)			(15,527)
<b>2007 Base Revenue Amount (Effective 1/1/07)</b>	<b>2,869,974</b>	<b>1,009,635</b>	<b>1,047,421</b>	<b>4,927,030</b>
Office Closures	(433)		(355)	(788)
<b>2007 Base Revenue Amount (Effective 8/1/07)</b>	<b>2,869,541</b>	<b>1,009,635</b>	<b>1,047,066</b>	<b>4,926,242</b>
2008 ARA	63,000	40,000	22,000	125,000
<b>2008 Base Revenue Amount (Effective 1/1/08)</b>	<b>2,932,541</b>	<b>1,049,635</b>	<b>1,069,066</b>	<b>5,051,242</b>

Note: 2008 Base Revenue Amounts do not include effect of proposed cost of capital pending in A. 07-05-008.

# CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

## ADVICE LETTER FILING SUMMARY ENERGY UTILITY

MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

Company name/CPUC Utility No. **Pacific Gas and Electric Company (ID U39 M)**

Utility type:

ELC

GAS

PLC

HEAT

WATER

Contact Person: Megan Hughes

Phone #: (415) 973-1877

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EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

ELC = Electric

GAS = Gas

PLC = Pipeline

HEAT = Heat

WATER = Water

(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 2877-G/3139-E

**Tier: 2**

Subject of AL: 2008 Gas and Electric Attrition Adjustments (2007 General Rate Case Decision 07-03-044)

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Attrition, GRC, Compliance

AL filing type:  Monthly  Quarterly  Annual  One-Time  Other \_\_\_\_\_

If AL filed in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #: D.07-03-044

Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? If so, identify the prior AL: No

Summarize differences between the AL and the prior withdrawn or rejected AL<sup>1</sup>: \_\_\_\_\_

Is AL requesting confidential treatment? If so, what information is the utility seeking confidential treatment for: No

Confidential information will be made available to those who have executed a nondisclosure agreement:  Yes  No

Name(s) and contact information of the person(s) who will provide the nondisclosure agreement and access to the confidential information:

Resolution Required?  Yes  No

Requested effective date: January 1, 2008

No. of tariff sheets: 0

Estimated system annual revenue effect (%): N/A

Estimated system average rate effect (%): N/A

When rates are affected by AL, include attachment in AL showing average rate effects on customer classes (residential, small commercial, large C/I, agricultural, lighting).

Tariff schedules affected: N/A

Service affected and changes proposed<sup>1</sup>: N/A

Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: N/A

Protests, dispositions, and all other correspondence regarding this AL are due no later than 20 days after the date of this filing, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

**CPUC, Energy Division**

**Tariff Files, Room 4005**

**DMS Branch**

**505 Van Ness Ave.,**

**San Francisco, CA 94102**

**jnj@cpuc.ca.gov and mas@cpuc.ca.gov**

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CA Cotton Ginners & Growers Assoc.	Heeg, Peggy A.	Silicon Valley Power
CA League of Food Processors	Hitachi Global Storage Technologies	Smurfit Stone Container Corp
CA Water Service Group	Hogan Manufacturing, Inc	Southern California Edison
California Energy Commission	House, Lon	SPURR
California Farm Bureau Federation	Imperial Irrigation District	St. Paul Assoc
California Gas Acquisition Svcs	Integrated Utility Consulting Group	Sutherland, Asbill & Brennan
California ISO	International Power Technology	Tabors Caramanis & Associates
Calpine	Interstate Gas Services, Inc.	Tecogen, Inc
Calpine Corp	IUCG/Sunshine Design LLC	TFS Energy
Calpine Gilroy Cogen	J. R. Wood, Inc	Transcanada
Cambridge Energy Research Assoc	JTM, Inc	Turlock Irrigation District
Cameron McKenna	Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps	U S Borax, Inc
Cardinal Cogen	Manatt, Phelps & Phillips	United Cogen Inc.
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Chevron Texaco	Matthew V. Brady & Associates	Utility Resource Network
Chevron USA Production Co.	Maynor, Donald H.	Wellhead Electric Company
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