January 20, 2005

Rose de la Torre
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77 Beale Street, Room 1088
Mail Code B10C
San Francisco, CA 94105

Subject: Procurement transaction quarterly compliance filing

Dear Ms de la Torre:

Advice Letter 2469-E, 2469-E-A is effective December 16, 2004 by Resolution E-3889. A copy of the advice letter is returned herewith for your records.

Sincerely,

Sean H. Gallagher, Director
Energy Division
January 30, 2004

Advice 2469-E
(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U 39 E)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Procurement Transaction Quarterly Compliance Filing (Q4, 2003)

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) hereby submits to the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission or CPUC) its Compliance filing for the fourth quarter of 2003, in accordance with Ordering Paragraph (O.P.) 8 of Decision (D.) 02-10-062 and clarified in D.03-06-076 and D.03-12-062. O.P. 19 of D.03-12-062 requires that the Quarterly Procurement Plan Compliance Reports described in O.P. 8 of Decision (D.) 02-10-062 be submitted within 30 days of the end of the quarter.

Background

Appendix B of D.02-10-062, Adopted Master Data Request for Monthly Advice Letters outlines the required information for each utility’s transaction reporting advice letter. The Energy Division clarified that the compliance items delineated in Appendix B of D.02-10-062 are for the Quarterly Report. The quarterly cycle for Appendix B was formalized in D.03-06-076, Order Modifying Decisions 02-10-062 and 02-12-074 and Denying Rehearing, dated June 19, 2003.1 Subsequently, on December 18, 2003, O.P. 19 of D.03-12-062 granted PG&E and SCE’s joint petition to extend the due date of the quarterly filing from within 15 days to within 30 days of the end of the quarter.

O.P. 10 of D.02-12-074 also requires PG&E to present Black Model results, for informational purposes in the quarterly advice letter filings. Since the only contracts for energy PG&E executed during the record period were extensions of existing contracts with no optionality, PG&E did not perform a Black model analysis of these contracts. A histogram (graph) of energy purchases and sales during the fourth quarter of 2003 is also provided in Confidential Appendix G.

1 Ordering Paragraph 8 of the Decision modified the title of Appendix B from D.02-10-062 to read: “Adopted Master Data Request for Quarterly Advice Letters.” Also, in the first sentence of Appendix B, the word “month’s” was deleted and replaced with “quarter’s.”
Compliance Items

A Confidential Attachment (the narrative) with supporting Appendices are being submitted to the Energy Division as follows:

Confidential Attachment and Related Appendices
The Confidential Attachment to this filing contains responses to the information requested in Appendix B of D.02-10-062, as clarified by D.03-06-076, and O.P. 10 of D.02-12-074.

The supporting seven Confidential Appendices include the following:

Appendix A – Internal Memorandums Provided to Management Prior to Contract Execution
Appendix B – PG&E’s Quarterly Transactions By Type and Quantity
Appendix C – PG&E’s Monthly Transactions By Type and Quantity
Appendix D – PG&E’s Monthly ISO Purchase and Sales Transactions for August, September and October 2003
Appendix E – Letter Agreements Amending QF Facilities
Appendix F – Monthly Reports Demonstrating Projected Need
Appendix G – Histogram (Graph) of “Buys/Sells” in Q4, 2003

Protests

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by sending a letter by February 19, 2004, which is 20 days from the date of this filing. The protest must state the grounds upon which it is based, including such items as financial and service impact, and should be submitted expeditiously. Protests should be mailed to:

IMC Branch Chief – Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, 4th Floor
San Francisco, California 94102
Facsimile: (415) 703-2200
E-mail: jjr@cpuc.ca.gov

Copies should also be mailed to the attention of the Director, Energy Division, Room 4005 and Jerry Royer, Energy Division, at the address shown above. It is also requested that a copy of the protest be sent via postal mail and facsimile to Pacific Gas and Electric Company on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission at the address shown below.
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Attention: Brian K. Cherry
Director, Regulatory Relations
77 Beale Street, Mail Code B10C
P.O. Box 770000
San Francisco, California 94177
Facsimile: (415) 973-7226
E-mail: RxDd@pge.com

Effective Date

In compliance with D.02-10-062, the effective date of this advice letter is January 30, 2004.

Notice

In accordance with General Order 96-A, Section III, Paragraph G, a copy of this advice letter excluding the confidential appendices is being sent electronically and via U.S. mail to parties shown on the attached list and the service list for Rulemaking (R.) 01-10-024. Address change requests should be directed to Sandra Ciach at (415) 973-7572. Advice letter filings can also be accessed electronically at:

http://www.pge.com/customer_services/business/tariffs/

Karen A. Tomcala
Vice President - Regulatory Relations

cc: Service List - R. 01-10-024
Attachments

Confidential Attachment and Related Confidential Appendices A through G
PG&E Electric Advice Filing List
General Order 96-A, Section III(G)

ABAG Power Pool
Aglet Consumer Alliance
Agnesnews Developmental Center
Ahmed, Ali
A1cantar & Elsesser
Anderson Donovan & Poole P.C.
Applied Power Technologies
APS Energy Services Co Inc
Arter & Hadden LLP
Avista Corp
Barkovich & Yap, Inc.
BART
Bartle Wells Associates
Blue Ridge Gas
Bohannon Development Co
BP Energy Company
Braun & Associates
C & H Sugar Co.
CA Bldg Industry Association
CA Cotton Ginners & Growers Assoc.
CA League of Food Processors
CA Water Service Group
California Energy Commission
California Farm Bureau Federation
California ISO
Calpine
Calpine Corp
Calpine Gilroy Cogen
Cambridge Energy Research Assoc
Cameron McKenna
Cardinal Cogen
Celinet Data Systems
Childress, David A.
City of Glendale
City of Healdsburg
City of Palo Alto
City of Redding
CLECA Law Office
Constellation New Energy
CPUC
Creative Technology
Crossborder Inc
CSC Energy Services
Davis, Wright Tremaine LLP
Davis, Wright, Tremaine, LLP
Defense Fuel Support Center
Department of the Army
Department of Water & Power City
Dept of the Air Force
DGS Natural Gas Services
DMM Customer Services
Downey, Brand, Seymour & Rohwer
Duke Energy
Duke Energy North America
Duncan, Virgil E.
Dutcher, John
Dynegy Inc
Ellison Schneider
Energy Law Group LLP
Enron Energy Services
Exeter Associates
Foster, Wheeler, Martinez
Franciscan Mobilehome
Future Resources Associates, Inc
GLJ Energy Publications
Goodin, MacBride, Squier, Schlotz &
Grueneich Resource Advocates
Hanna & Morton
Heeg, Peggy A.
Hogan Manufacturing, Inc
House, Lon
Imperial Irrigation District
Integrated Utility Consulting Group
International Power Technology
J. R. Wood, Inc
JTM, Inc
Kaiser Cement Corp
Korea Elec Power Corp
Marcus, David
Masonite Corporation
Matthew V. Brady & Associates
Maynor, Donald H.
McKenzie & Assoc
McKenzie & Associates
Meek, Daniel W
Meyer, Joseph
Mirant California, LLC
Modesto Irrigation Dist
Morrison & Foerster
Morse Richard Weisenmiller & Assoc.
New United Motor Mfg. Inc
Norris & Wong Associates
North Coast Solar Resources
Northern California Power Agency
PG&E National Energy Group
Pinnacle CNG Company
PPL EnergyPlus, LLC
Price, Roy
Product Development Dept
Provost Pritchard
R. M. Hairston & Company
R. W. Beck & Associates
Recon Research
Regional Cogeneration Service
RMC Lonestar
Sacramento Municipal Utility District
SCD Energy Solutions
Seattle City Light
Sempra
Sempra Energy
Sequoia Union HS Dist
SESCO
Sierra Pacific Power Company
Silicon Valley Power
Simpson Paper Company
Smurfit Stone Container Corp
Southern California Edison
SPURR
St. Paul Assoc
Stanford University
Sutherland, Asbill & Brennan
Tabors Caramanis & Associates
Tarsen and Associates
Tecogen, Inc
TFS Energy
TJ Cross Engineers
Transwestern Pipeline Co
Turlock Irrigation District
United Cogen Inc
URM Groups
Utility Cost Management LLC
Utility Resource Network
Wellhead Electric Company
Western Hub Properties, LLC
White & Case
WMA