April 12, 2013

Advice Letter 4201-E

Brian K. Cherry  
Vice President, Regulation and Rates  
Pacific Gas and Electric Company  
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P.O. Box 770000  
San Francisco, CA  94177

Subject: Submits Notice of Construction, Pursuant to G.O. 131-D, for the Construction of the Lakeville No. 2 60kV Power Line Relocation – Marin-Sonoma Narrows Highway 101 HOV Widening Project, Segment B1 – Marin County

Dear Mr. Cherry:

Advice Letter 4201-E is effective April 11, 2013.

Sincerely,

Edward F. Randolph, Director  
Energy Division
March 12, 2013

Advice 4201-E
(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U 39 E)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Submits Notice of Construction, Pursuant to General Order 131-D, for the Construction of the Lakeville No. 2 60kV Power Line Relocation – Marin-Sonoma Narrows Highway 101 HOV Widening Project, Segment B1 – Marin County

Purpose

This advice letter provides a copy of the Notice of Proposed Construction (Attachment I) and the Notice Distribution List, which comply with the noticing requirements found in G.O. 131-D, Section XI.

Background

To accommodate the widening of Highway 101 north of Novato in Marin County (larger project), the State of California, Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has requested Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) to relocate approximately 5,950 feet of the existing Lakeville No. 2 60 Kilovolt (kV) Power Line. PG&E will relocate 17 existing wood poles (approximately 43 to 73 feet tall) with 20 new wood poles (approximately 64 to 84 feet tall). The three additional poles and taller poles are needed to comply with California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC or Commission) General Order 95 minimum ground-to-conductor clearance requirements, while accommodating Caltrans proposed improvements and electric distribution and communication wires on the power line poles (underbuild). The relocation begins on the east side of Highway 101, approximately 2,200 feet northwest of the intersection of Highway 101 with Redwood Sanitary Landfill Road, and generally parallels the east side of the highway, until it terminates approximately 3,750 feet southeast of Redwood Sanitary Landfill Road. Construction activities are scheduled to begin in May 2013, or as soon thereafter as possible, with completion in August 2013, or as soon thereafter as possible.

CPUC General Order 131-D, Section III.B.1, exempts projects meeting specific conditions from the CPUC’s requirement to file an application requesting authority to construct. Pacific Gas and Electric Company believes this project qualifies for the following exemption:
f. power lines or substations to be relocated or constructed which have undergone
environmental review pursuant to CEQA as part of a larger project, and for which the
final CEQA document (Environmental Impact Report (EIR) or Negative Declaration)
finds no significant unavoidable environmental impacts caused by the proposed line
or substation.

Caltrans and the Federal Highway Administration adopted an Environmental Impact
Report / Environmental Impact Statement for the Marin-Sonoma Narrows HOV
Widening Project, finding no significant unavoidable environmental impacts resulting
from PG&E’s required utility relocations (State Clearinghouse #2001042115).

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 April 1, 2013, which is 20
days after the date of this filing. Protests should be mailed to:

CPUC Energy Division
ED Tariff Unit
505 Van Ness Avenue, 4th Floor
San Francisco, California 94102

Facsimile: (415) 703-2200
E-Mail: EDTariffUnit@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:

David T. Kraska
Attorney, Law Department
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
P.O. Box 7442
San Francisco, California 94120

Facsimile: (415) 973-0516
Effective Date

The Company requests that this advice filing become effective on April 11, 2013, which is 30 days after the date of filing. (In accordance with G.O. 131-D, construction will not begin until 45 days after notice is first published.)

Notice

A copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically and via U.S. Mail to parties shown on the attached list, including the parties listed in G.O. 131-D, Section XI, Paragraphs B.1 and B.2. These parties are identified in the “Notice Distribution List” included in Attachment I. All electronic approvals should be sent to e-mail PGETariffs@pge.com. Advice letter filings can also be accessed electronically at http://www.pge.com/tariffs/.

Vice President, Regulatory Relations

cc: Parties Listed in G.O. 131-D, Paragraphs B.1 and B.2

Attachments
Company name/CPUC Utility No. Pacific Gas and Electric Company (ID U39 E)

Utility type: ☑️ ELC  ☐ GAS  ☐ HEAT  ☐ WATER
Contact Person: Igor Grinberg
Phone #: 415-973-8580
E-mail: ixg8@pge.com and PGETariffs@pge.com

EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE
ELC = Electric  GAS = Gas  PLC = Pipeline  HEAT = Heat  WATER = Water

Advice Letter (AL) #: 4201-E  Tier: N/A
Subject of AL: Submits Notice of Construction, Pursuant to General Order 131-D, for the Construction of the Lakeville No. 2 60kV Power Line Relocation – Marin-Sonoma Narrows Highway 101 HOV Widening Project, Segment B1 – Marin County

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Power Lines

AL filing type: ☑️ One-Time  ☐ Monthly  ☐ Quarterly  ☐ Annual  ☐ Other _____________________________

If AL filed in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #: 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: N/A

Is AL requesting confidential treatment? If so, what information is the utility seeking confidential treatment for: N/A
Confidential information will be made available to those who have executed a nondisclosure agreement: N/A
Name(s) and contact information of the person(s) who will provide the nondisclosure agreement and access to the confidential information: N/A

Resolution Required? ☑️ Yes  ☐ No
Requested effective date: April 11, 2013  No. of tariff sheets: N/A

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: 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:

Director, Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Fourth Floor
San Francisco, CA 94102

Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Attn: Brian K. Cherry, Vice President, Regulatory Relations
77 Beale Street, Mail Code B10C
P.O. Box 770000
San Francisco, CA 94177
E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com
NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION

PROJECT NAME: Lakeville No. 2 60 kV Power Line Relocation (Marin County)
ADVICE LETTER NUMBER: 4201-E

Proposed Project: To accommodate the widening of Highway 101 north of Novato in Marin County (larger project), the State of California, Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has requested Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) to relocate approximately 5,950 feet of the existing Lakeville No. 2 60 Kilovolt (kV) Power Line. PG&E will relocate 17 existing wood poles (approximately 43 to 73 feet tall) with 20 new wood poles (approximately 64 to 84 feet tall). The three additional poles and taller poles are needed to comply with CPUC General Order 95 minimum ground-to-conductor clearance requirements, while accommodating Caltrans proposed improvements and electric distribution and communication wires on the power line poles (underbuild). The relocation begins on the east side of Highway 101, approximately 2,200 feet northwest of the intersection of Highway 101 with Redwood Sanitary Landfill Road, and generally parallels the east side of the highway, until it terminates approximately 3,750 feet southeast of Redwood Sanitary Landfill Road. Construction activities are scheduled to begin in May 2013, or as soon thereafter as possible, with completion in August 2013, or as soon thereafter as possible.

Exemption from CPUC Authority: CPUC General Order 131-D, Section III, B.1, exempts projects meeting specific conditions from the CPUC's requirement to file an application requesting authority to construct. Pacific Gas and Electric Company believes this project qualifies for the following exemption:

f. power lines or substations to be relocated or constructed which have undergone environmental review pursuant to CEQA as part of a larger project, and for which the final CEQA document (Environmental Impact Report (EIR) or Negative Declaration) finds no significant unavoidable environmental impacts caused by the proposed line or substation.

Caltrans and the Federal Highway Administration adopted an Environmental Impact Report / Environmental Impact Statement for the Marin-Sonoma Narrows HOV Widening Project, finding no significant unavoidable environmental impacts resulting from PG&E’s required utility relocations (State Clearinghouse #2001042115).

Public Review Process: Persons or groups may protest the proposed construction if they believe that Pacific Gas and Electric Company has incorrectly applied for an exemption or that the conditions set out in Section III.B.2 of General Order 131-D exist;

a. There is reasonable possibility that the activity may have an impact on an environmental resource of hazardous or critical concern where designated, precisely mapped and officially adopted pursuant to law by federal, state, or local agencies; or
b. The cumulative impact of successive projects of the same type in the same place, over time, is significant; or
c. There is a reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances.

Protests should include the following:

1. Your name, mailing address and daytime telephone number.
2. Reference to the CPUC Advice Letter Number and Project Name.
3. A clear description of the reason for the protest.
4. Whether you believe that evidentiary hearings are necessary to resolve factual disputes.

Protests for this project must be filed by April 1, 2013 at the following address:

Director, Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Fourth Floor
San Francisco, California  94102

With a copy mailed to:
David Kraska, Law Department
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
P.O. Box 7442
San Francisco, California  94120

Pacific Gas and Electric Company must respond within five business days of receipt and serve copies of its response on each protestant and the Energy Division. Within 30 days after Pacific Gas and Electric Company has submitted its response, the Executive Director of the CPUC will send you a copy of an Executive Resolution granting or denying the request and stating the reasons for the decision.

Assistance in Filing a Protest: For assistance in filing a protest, contact the CPUC Public Advisor in San Francisco at (415) 703-2074 or 1-866-849-8390 (toll-free) or TTY (415) 703-5258 or public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov.

Additional Project Information: To obtain further information on the proposed project, please call Pacific Gas and Electric Company’s Project Information Line at (415) 973-5530.
Notice Distribution List

Lakeville No. 2 60 kV Power Line Relocation (Marin-Sonoma Narrows HOV Widening Project, Segment B1A - Marin County)

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Energy Commission

Mr. Robert Oglesby, Executive Director
California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street, Mail Stop 39
Sacramento, California 95814

Mr. Roger Johnson, Deputy Director
California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street, Mail Stop 39
Sacramento, California 95814

California Department of Fish and Game

Ms. Lorie Hammerli, Environmental Scientist
California Department of Fish and Game, Bay Delta Region
7329 Silverado Trail
Napa, CA 94558

County of Marin

Mr. Brian Crawford, Director
County of Marin Community Development Agency
3501 Civic Center Drive, Room #308
San Rafael, CA 94903

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