June 10, 2014

Advice Letter 4408-E

Brian K. Cherry
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San Francisco, CA 94177

Subject: Submits Notice of Construction, Pursuant to GO 131D, for the Construction of Kent South Solar Project Power Line Interconnection in the County of Kings

Dear Mr. Cherry:

Advice Letter 4408-E is effective June 4, 2014.

Sincerely,

Edward F. Randolph, Director
Energy Division
Advice 4408-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 Kent South Solar Project Power Line Interconnection in the County of Kings

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (“PG&E” or “the Company”) hereby submits notice pursuant to General Order (G.O.) 131-D, Section XI, Subsection B.4, of the construction of facilities that are exempt from a Permit to Construct.

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 interconnect a developer’s planned RE Kent South Solar Project to the electric transmission system, PG&E will reroute and loop approximately 608 feet of the existing Henrietta-Tulare Lake 70 kV Power Line into and out of the solar generating facility in Kings County (minor relocation). PG&E will install approximately two 60-foot-tall tubular steel poles adjacent to the solar project switching station, which is located approximately 150 feet northwest of the intersection of Avenal Cutoff Road and 25th Avenue (larger project CEQA). PG&E will also intereset approximately two 75-foot-tall tubular steel poles along the existing power line, which extends along 25th Avenue (interesetting structures). Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in summer 2014, or as soon as project plans and approvals are in place. Construction is scheduled to be completed in November 2014, or as soon as possible after construction begins.

CPUC General Order 131-D, Section III, Subsection B.1, exempts projects meeting specific conditions from the CPUC’s requirement to file an application
requesting authority to construct. The Company believes this project qualifies for the following exemption(s),

c. "the minor relocation of existing power line facilities up to 2,000 feet in length, or the intersetting of additional support structures between existing support structures."

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."

The County of Kings adopted a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the RE Mustang, RE Kent South, and RE Orion Solar Generation Facilities Project on August 9, 2012 and Addendum dated January 1, 2014, finding no significant unavoidable environmental impacts resulting from PG&E’s proposed facilities. (State Clearinghouse # 2012061038)

This filing will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with any other rate schedule or rule.

**Protests**

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by filing a protest with the CPUC and the Company by May 27, 2014, which is 22\(^1\) days after the date of this filing. Protests should be mailed to the following address:

CPUC Energy Division  
ED Tariff Unit  
505 Van Ness Avenue, 4\(^{th}\) 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 show 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:

\(^{1}\) The regular 20-day protest period concludes on a non-business day, therefore, PG&E is moving this date to the next business day.
Persons or groups may protest the proposed construction if they believe that the Company has incorrectly applied for an exemption or that the conditions set out in Section III.B.2 of G.O. 131-D exist.

Public Comment

Individuals or groups who do not file an official protest may still submit a comment on the request to the Energy Division at the address noted above, reference Advice Letter 4408-E.

Effective Date

This Company requests that this advice filing become effective on June 4, 2014, 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)  

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**EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE**

| ELC = Electric | GAS = Gas |
| PLC = Pipeline | HEAT = Heat |
| WATER = Water |

**Subject of AL:** Submits Notice of Construction, Pursuant to General Order 131-D, for the Construction of Kent South Solar Project Power Line Interconnection in the County of Kings

**Keywords (choose from CPUC listing):** Power Lines

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

Estimated effective date: **June 4, 2014**

No. of tariff sheets: 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

Resolutions affected and changes proposed: N/A

Protests, dispositions, and all other correspondence regarding this AL are due no later than 22\(^1\) days after the date of this filing, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION
Para más detalles llame 1-800-660-6789

PROJECT NAME: Kent South Solar Project Power Line Interconnection - (Kings County, P. No. 05599)
ADVICE LETTER NUMBER: 4408-E

Proposed Project: To interconnect a developer’s planned RE Kent South Solar Project to the electric transmission system, PG&E will reroute and loop approximately 608 feet of the existing Henrietta-Tulare Lake 70 kV Power Line into and out of the solar generating facility in Kings County (minor relocation). PG&E will install approximately two 60-foot-tall tubular steel poles adjacent to the solar project switching station, which is located approximately 150 feet northwest of the intersection of Avenal Cutoff Road and 25th Avenue (larger project CEQA). PG&E will also interset approximately two 75-foot-tall tubular steel poles along the existing power line, which extends along 25th Avenue (intersetting structures). Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in summer 2014, or as soon as project plans and approvals are in place. Construction is scheduled to be completed in November 2014, or as soon as possible after construction begins.

Exemption from CPUC Permit Requirement: CPUC General Order 131-D, Section III, B.1, exempts a utility from the CPUC’s requirement to file an application requesting authority to construct if a project meets specific conditions. This project qualifies for the following exemption(s):

c. “the minor relocation of existing power line facilities up to 2,000 feet in length, or the interseting of additional support structures between existing support structures.”

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Additional Project Information: To obtain further information on the proposed project, please call PG&E’s Project Information Line at (415) 973-5530.

Public Review Process: Individuals or groups may protest the proposed construction if they believe that PG&E 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

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 May 27, 2014 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

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

Assistance in Filing a Protest: If you need assistance in filing a protest, contact the CPUC Public Advisor:

e-mail: public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov or call: 1-866-849-8390 (toll-free), or (415) 703-2074, or TTY (415) 703-5258.
Public Comment: Even if you do not want to file an official protest, you may still comment on the request. To do so, send your comments to the Energy Division at the address noted above. Please reference Advice Letter 4408-E.
Notice Distribution List

Kent South Solar Project Interconnection - (Kings County)

Advice 4408-E

Energy Commission

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Sacramento, California 95814

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

California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Ms. Sarah Bahm
California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Central Region
1234 E. Shaw Avenue
Fresno, CA  93710

County of Kings

Mr. Gregory Gatzka
Director of Community Development
Kings County Planning Department
1400 West Lacey Boulevard
Hanford, CA 93230

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The Hanford Sentinel
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