March 3, 2016

Pacific Gas and Electric Company
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77 Beale Street, Mail Code B10C
P.O. Box 770000
San Francisco, CA 94177

SUBJECT: Notice of FERC Order on PG&E's Rate Increase Filing (TO17)

Dear Mr. Jacobson:

Advice Letter 4727-E is effective as of March 1, 2016.

Sincerely,

Edward Randolph
Director, Energy Division
October 27, 2015

Advice 4727-E
(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U 39 E)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Notice of Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Order on PG&E's Rate Increase Filing (TO17)

Purpose

In compliance with California Public Utilities Commission (Commission or CPUC) Resolution E-3930, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) hereby submits this advice letter to provide the Commission with notice of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s (FERC) recent order on PG&E’s seventeenth FERC-jurisdictional electric transmission revenue requirement request (TO17). On September 30, 2015, FERC issued its order accepting PG&E’s TO17 filing, suspending the requested rate increase for five months to become effective on March 1, 2016.

Background

On July 29, 2015, PG&E submitted its TO17 filing in FERC Docket No. ER15-2294-000. That filing requested an increase in TO Tariff transmission revenue requirements and rates to recover the just and reasonable costs associated with significant electric transmission infrastructure expansion and replacement that has occurred in 2015 to date, and that will occur during the balance of 2015 and in 2016. PG&E proposed an effective date of October 1, 2015 for TO17 rates.

On September 30, 2015, FERC issued its order accepting PG&E’s TO17 filing, suspending the requested rate increase for five months to become effective on March 1, 2016, subject to refund, and establishing hearing and settlement judge procedures.

Compliance with Resolution E-3930

In compliance with Process Element 3 of Resolution E-3930, PG&E submitted Advice Letter 4699-E with the Commission on September 3, 2015 to notify the Commission of PG&E’s TO17 filing.
PG&E submits this advice letter pursuant to Process Element 4 of Resolution E-3930. PG&E will file an additional advice letter before the March 1, 2016 effective date when it implements the retail rate change. PG&E will include complete updated retail tariff sheets, based on the specific method for setting residential rates, at that time.

In addition, PG&E will file an advice letter after settlement or litigation of the TO17 rate changes when rates are no longer subject to refund.

**Protests**

Anyone wishing to protest this filing may do so by letter sent via U.S. mail, facsimile or E-mail, no later than November 16, 2015, which is 20 days after the date of this filing. Protests must be submitted 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 shall also be sent to PG&E either via E-mail or U.S. mail (and by facsimile, if possible) at the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission:

Erik Jacobson  
Director, Regulatory Relations  
c/o Megan Lawson  
Pacific Gas and Electric Company  
77 Beale Street, Mail Code B10C  
P.O. Box 770000  
San Francisco, California 94177

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

Any person (including individuals, groups, or organizations) may protest or respond to an advice letter (General Order 96-B, Section 7.4). The protest shall contain the following information: specification of the advice letter protested; grounds for the protest; supporting factual information or legal argument; name, telephone number, postal address, and (where appropriate) e-mail address of the protestant; and statement that
the protest was sent to the utility no later than the day on which the protest was submitted to the reviewing Industry Division (General Order 96-B, Section 3.11).

**Effective Date**

PG&E requests that this Tier 2 advice filing become effective as soon as practicable.

**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. Address changes to the General Order 96-B service list should be directed to PG&E at email address PGETariffs@pge.com. For changes to any other service list, please contact the Commission's Process Office at (415) 703-2021 or at Process_Office@cpuc.ca.gov. Send all electronic approvals to PGETariffs@pge.com. Advice letter filings can also be accessed electronically at: http://www.pge.com/tariffs/.

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Erik Jacobson
Director, Regulatory Relations

Attachment

cc: Service List
MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

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EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

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

Advice Letter (AL) #: 4727-E Tier: 2
Subject of AL: Notice of Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Order on PG&E’s Rate Increase Filing (TO17)

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Compliance, Transmission

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

If AL filed in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #: Resolution E-3930

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: 

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: N/A

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: Upon Approval 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

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:

California Public Utilities Commission Energy Division EDTariffUnit 505 Van Ness Ave., 4th Flr. San Francisco, CA 94102 E-mail: EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

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PG&E Gas and Electric
Advice Filing List
General Order 96-B, Section IV

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California Cotton Ginners & Growers Assn
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Casner, Steve
Center for Biological Diversity
City of Palo Alto
City of San Jose
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SPURR
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