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**Pacific Gas & Electric Company**  
**GAS (Corp ID 39)**  
**Status of Advice Letter 5186G**  
**As of April 2, 2026**

Subject: Notice of first day of PG&E's Backbone Transmission Capacity below threshold of the average day in a 1-in-10 cold and dry year standard established by Decision 06-09-039, per Decision 22-07-002

Division Assigned: Energy

Date Filed: 03-04-2026

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<b>Disposition:</b>	<b>Accepted</b>
<b>Effective Date:</b>	<b>03-04-2026</b>

Resolution Required: No

Resolution Number: None

Commission Meeting Date: None

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To: Energy Company Filing Advice Letter

From: Energy Division PAL Coordinator

Subject: Your Advice Letter Filing

The Energy Division of the California Public Utilities Commission has processed your recent Advice Letter (AL) filing and is returning an AL status certificate for your records.

The AL status certificate indicates:

- Advice Letter Number
- Name of Filer
- CPUC Corporate ID number of Filer
- Subject of Filing
- Date Filed
- Disposition of Filing (Accepted, Rejected, Withdrawn, etc.)
- Effective Date of Filing
- Other Miscellaneous Information (e.g., Resolution, if applicable, etc.)

The Energy Division has made no changes to your copy of the Advice Letter Filing; please review your Advice Letter Filing with the information contained in the AL status certificate, and update your Advice Letter and tariff records accordingly.

All inquiries to the California Public Utilities Commission on the status of your Advice Letter Filing will be answered by Energy Division staff based on the information contained in the Energy Division's PAL database from which the AL status certificate is generated. If you have any questions on this matter please contact the:

Energy Division's Tariff Unit by e-mail to  
**[edtariffunit@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:edtariffunit@cpuc.ca.gov)**

March 4, 2026

**Advice 5186-G**

(Pacific Gas and Electric Company ID U 39 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

**Subject: Notice of first day of PG&E's Backbone Transmission Capacity below threshold of the average day in a 1-in-10 cold and dry year standard established by Decision 06-09-039, per Decision 22-07-002**

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) hereby submits notice to the California Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) Energy Division pursuant to Decision (D.) 22-07-002 issued on July 14, 2022 (Decision), as part of the Order Instituting Rulemaking to Establish Policies, Processes, and Rules to Ensure Safe and Reliable Gas Systems in California and Perform Long-Term Gas System Planning.<sup>1</sup>

**Purpose**

The purpose of this Advice Letter is to comply with Appendix A<sup>2</sup>, which requires a utility to notify Energy Division and the R.20-01-007 service list via a Tier 1 Advice Letter on the first day its backbone transmission capacity fails to meet the minimum design standard as described in Appendix A.

**Background**

The Decision requires PG&E to maintain adequate backbone capacity to meet the average day in a 1-in-10 cold and dry year standard established by D.06-09-039. This standard serves as a floor below which the daily available backbone capacity may not fall. PG&E is required to notify Energy Division and the R.20-01-007 service list via a Tier 1 Advice Letter on the first day the backbone transmission capacity fails to meet the minimum design standard as described in Appendix A, Attachment 1.<sup>3</sup> Utilities must report their available backbone capacity in both million cubic feet per day (MMcf/d) and dekatherms (Dth) in this Tier 1 advice letter.

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<sup>1</sup> Rulemaking (R.) 20-01-007.

<sup>2</sup> D.22-07-002, p. A-1-A-2, p.A-4-A-5

<sup>3</sup> D.22-07-002, Appendix A p. A-1

## Notice of First Day of Total Available Capacity Below the Threshold Floor

For March 4, 2026, PG&E's calculation of total available capacity from Cycle 1 compared to the Threshold Floor is as follows:

Table 1 – Total Available Capacity

First Gas Day Impacted	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f=d-e)
3/4/2026	Redwood Path	Baja - Topock	California Production (Scheduled Volumes)	Total Available Capacity	1-in-10 cold and dry year standard <sup>1</sup>	Slack Capacity
Available Receipt Point Capacity (MMcf/d)	1,550	800	22	2,372	2,493	-121
Available Receipt Point Capacity (Dth/d)	1,635,224	809,302	21,996	2,466,522	2,587,734	-121,212
Comments:	Redwood Path: Delevan Station Maintenance (3/4/26-3/6/26) Baja Redwood: Topock Compressor Station Maintenance (3/4/26-3/6/26)					

<sup>1</sup> Required to maintain adequate backbone capacity to meet the average day in a 1-in-10 cold and dry year standard established by D.06-09-039. The 1-in-10 cold and dry year, for 2026, is 2,493 MMcf as referenced in the 2024 California Gas Report, Table 30, p.99.

With planned Delevan Station and Topock Station maintenance, starting on March 4, 2026, through March 6, 2026, this resulting total available capacity is below the threshold by 121 MMcf/day. PG&E posts the latest maintenance/outage information on Pipe Ranger's Pipeline Maintenance News page and provides a Prospective Maintenance forecast for the next 6-12 months, subject to change at any time dependent on various planned or unplanned maintenance timelines. Pipe Ranger's Physical Pipeline Capacity page shows daily physical capacity at the various interconnects.

The total available capacity information is also posted on PG&E's Interactive Pipeline Map on its Pipe Ranger homepage: <https://www.pge.com/pipeline/index.page>. The download feature provides a previous gas day's final Physical Pipeline Capacity and Scheduled Volumes information. It is important to note that the information may be different than what is reported given the timing of this Advice Letter.

**Protests**

Anyone wishing to protest this submittal may do so by letter sent electronically via E-mail, no later than **March 24, 2026**, which is 20 days after the date of this submittal. Protests must be submitted to:

CPUC Energy Division  
ED Tariff Unit  
E-mail: EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

The protest shall also be electronically sent to PG&E via E-mail at the address shown below on the same date it is electronically delivered to the Commission:

Sidney Bob Dietz II  
Director, Regulatory Relations  
c/o Megan Lawson  
E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com

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 and 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 1 advice submittal become effective upon date of submittal, which is **March 4, 2026**.

**Notice**

In accordance with General Order 96-B, Section IV, a copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically to parties shown on the attached list and the parties on the service list for R.20-01-007. 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 submittals can also be accessed electronically at: <http://www.pge.com/tariffs/>.

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Sidney Bob Dietz II  
Director, Regulatory Relations  
CPUC Communications

cc: Service List R.20-01-007



# ADVICE LETTER SUMMARY

## ENERGY UTILITY



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

Company name/CPUC Utility No.: Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 G)

Utility type:

- ELC       GAS       WATER  
 PLC       HEAT

Contact Person: Baylee Larson

Phone #: (279) 789-6486

E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com

E-mail Disposition Notice to: baylee.larson@pge.com

EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

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

(Date Submitted / Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 5186-G

Tier Designation: 1

Subject of AL: Notice of first day of PG&E's Backbone Transmission Capacity below threshold of the average day in a 1-in-10 cold and dry year standard established by Decision 06-09-039, per Decision 22-07-002

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Compliance

AL Type:  Monthly  Quarterly  Annual  One-Time  Other:

If AL submitted in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #: D.22-07-002

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

Confidential treatment requested?  Yes  No

If yes, specification of confidential information:

Confidential information will be made available to appropriate parties who execute a nondisclosure agreement. Name and contact information to request nondisclosure agreement/ access to confidential information:

Resolution required?  Yes  No

Requested effective date: 3/4/26

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

<sup>1</sup>Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

**Protests and correspondence regarding this AL are to be sent via email and are due no later than 20 days after the date of this submittal, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:**

California Public Utilities Commission  
Energy Division Tariff Unit Email:  
[EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov)

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Title: Director, Regulatory Relations  
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**PG&E Gas and Electric  
Advice Submittal List  
General Order 96-B, Section IV**

AT&T	Ellison Schneider & Harris LLP	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Albion Power Company		Peninsula Clean Energy
Alta Power Group, LLC	Electrical Power Systems, Inc. Fresno	Pioneer Community Energy
Anderson & Poole	Engie North America	Public Advocates Office
BART	Engineers and Scientists of California	Redwood Coast Energy Authority
Ava Community Energy		Regulatory & Cogeneration Service, Inc.
BART		Resource Innovations
Buchalter	GenOn Energy, Inc.	Rockpoint Gas Storage
Barkovich & Yap, Inc.	Green Power Institute	
Biering & Brown LLP		San Diego Gas & Electric Company
Braun Blasing Smith Wynne, P.C.	Hanna & Morton LLP	San Jose Clean Energy
		SPURR
California Community Choice Association	ICF consulting	
California Cotton Ginners & Growers Association	iCommLaw	Sempra Utilities
California Energy Commission	International Power Technology	Sierra Telephone Company, Inc.
California Hub for Energy Efficiency	Intertie	Southern California Edison Company
California Alternative Energy and Advanced Transportation Financing Authority	Intestate Gas Services, Inc.	Southern California Gas Company
California Public Utilities Commission		Spark Energy
Calpine	Kaplan Kirsch LLP	Sun Light & Power
Cameron-Daniel, P.C.	Kelly Group	Sunshine Design
Casner, Steve	Ken Bohn Consulting	Stoel Rives LLP
Center for Biological Diversity	Keys & Fox LLP	
Chevron Pipeline and Power	Leviton Manufacturing Co., Inc. Los Angeles County Integrated	Tecogen, Inc.
		TerraVerde Renewable Partners
		Tiger Natural Gas, Inc.
Clean Power Research	Waste Management Task Force	
Coast Economic Consulting		Utility Cost Management
Commercial Energy	MRW & Associates	
Crossborder Energy	Manatt Phelps Phillips	
Crown Road Energy, LLC	Marin Energy Authority	Water and Energy Consulting
	McClintock IP	
	McKenzie & Associates	
Davis Wright Tremaine LLP	Modesto Irrigation District	
Day Carter Murphy	NLine Energy Inc.	Yep Energy
Dept of General Services	NOSSAMAN LLP	
Douglass & Liddell	NRG Energy Inc.	
Downey Brand LLP		