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Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) files herewith proof of compliance with Rule 13.1(c) of the California Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure and the May 11, 2016, Ruling of the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ Ruling) regarding Notice of Public Participation Hearings in the 2017 General Rate Case, Application No. 15-09-001 (Notice).

Posting

PG&E met the requirement specified in Rule 13.1(c) by timely posting the required Notice in front counter offices throughout its service area. English and Spanish versions of the Notice were posted in front counters on or before June 29, 2016. (See Attachment A.)

Publication

PG&E met the additional requirement in Rule 13.1(c) by publishing the required Notice in newspapers of general circulation within its service area on various dates between June 21 and July 10, 2016. (See Attachment B.)

Mailing of Bill Insert to All Customers

PG&E met the notice requirement specified in the ALJ Ruling by mailing a bill insert of the Notice to affected customers. Mailing of the insert was completed on June 23, 2016. (See Attachment C).

In addition, customers who receive electronic bills from PG&E received the insert in Attachment C as part of their bill packages. Circulation of this bill insert in electronic bills began on or before June 10, 2016.

Respectfully Submitted,

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# ATTACHMENT A

## DECLARATION OF POSTING

### NOTICES OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION HEARINGS IN PG&E OFFICES REGARDING APPLICATION 15-09-001

I, Shannon Ford, an employee of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, state that I am a citizen of the United States and employed in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California; that I am over the age of eighteen (18) years and not a party to the within cause; that my business address is 77 Beale Street, San Francisco, California; and that printed copies in English and Spanish of the attached "Notice of Public Participation Hearings" by the California Public Utilities Commission, pertaining to Application number 15-09-001, were posted in a conspicuous place available to public view in the 75 Pacific Gas and Electric Company offices (listed and also attached herewith), on or before June 29, 2016.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated, July 11, 2016, at San Francisco, California.



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SHANNON FORD



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#### **ABOUT THE FILING**

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#### **CPUC PROCESS**

As a party of record, the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA) has reviewed this application. ORA is the independent consumer advocacy group within the CPUC with a legislative mandate to represent investor-owned utility customers to obtain the lowest possible rate for service consistent with reliable and safe service levels. The ORA has a multi-disciplinary staff with expertise in economics, finance, accounting and engineering. For more information about ORA, please call **1-415-703-1584**, email [ora@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:ora@cpuc.ca.gov) or visit ORA's website at [www.ora.ca.gov/default.aspx](http://www.ora.ca.gov/default.aspx).

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Email: [public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov)  
Mall: CPUC  
Public Advisor's Office  
505 van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102  
Call: 1-415-703-2074 or 1-866-849-8390 (toll-free)  
TTY: 1-415-703-5282 or 1-866-836-7825 (toll-free)

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**AVISO SOBRE AUDIENCIAS DE PARTICIPACIÓN PÚBLICA RELACIONADAS CON LA SOLICITUD DE PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY PARA AUMENTAR LAS TARIFAS DEL CASO SOBRE TARIFAS GENERALES (FASE 1) A.15-09-001**

**La Comisión de Servicios Públicos de California (CPUC, por sus siglas en inglés) desea recibir los comentarios que usted pudiera tener al respecto.**

La CPUC realizará una serie de Audiencias de Participación Pública (PPHs, por sus siglas en inglés) con el fin de escuchar sus comentarios sobre la solicitud del Caso sobre Tarifas Generales (GRC, por sus siglas en inglés) de Pacific Gas and Electric Company para aumentar sus tarifas a partir del 1º de enero de 2017.

**AUDIENCIAS DE PARTICIPACIÓN PÚBLICA**

La CPUC realizará una serie de PPHs en diversos lugares de toda el área de servicio de PG&E. Estas audiencias le brindan la oportunidad de expresar sus opiniones acerca del GRC de PG&E. Las audiencias serán facilitadas por un Juez de leyes administrativas (Juez) y se aceptarán comentarios orales por parte del público. En cada sitio se contará con la presencia de representantes de servicio al cliente de PG&E para asistir en lo relacionado con las inquietudes de facturación y servicio de los clientes.

**FECHAS, HORARIOS Y UBICACIONES DE LAS PPHs**

Todas las personas interesadas en presentar sus opiniones ante la CPUC pueden asistir a una de las audiencias programadas de la manera siguiente:

**BAKERSFIELD**

11 de julio de 2016  
**1:00 pm y 6:00 pm**  
Ayuntamiento de Bakersfield  
South Council Chambers  
1501 Truxtun Avenue  
Bakersfield, CA 93301

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13 de julio de 2016,  
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20 de julio de 2016  
**1:00 pm y 6:00 pm**  
Auditorio de la Comisión de  
Servicios Públicos  
505 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94102

**SAN BRUNO**

26 de julio de 2016  
**1:00 pm y 6:00 pm**  
Biblioteca de San Bruno  
Salón en la planta baja  
701 Angus Avenue  
West San Bruno, CA 94066

**SAN LUIS OBISPO**

28 de julio de 2016  
**1:00 pm y 6:00 pm**  
Ciudad de San Luis Obispo/  
Biblioteca del Condado  
Library Community Room  
995 Palm Street  
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

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12 de julio de 2016  
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**SANTA ROSA**

25 de julio de 2016  
**1:00 pm y 6:00 pm**  
Ciudad de Santa Rosa  
Departamento de Parques y  
Actividades Recreativas  
Centro Comunitario Steel Lane  
Dohn Room  
415 Steele Lane  
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

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**INFORMACIÓN SOBRE LA PRESENTACIÓN DEL CASO**

Cada tres años, PG&E debe presentar un GRC ante la CPUC. El 1º de septiembre de 2015, PG&E presentó su solicitud de GRC 2017 (A.15-09-001) requiriendo la autorización de un aumento en las tarifas para operar, mantener y actualizar las instalaciones de distribución eléctrica, de distribución de gas y degeneración eléctrica. La CPUC finalmente tomará la decisión sobre lo que es razonable que los clientes paguen en sus tarifas. Los ingresos actuales aprobados por la CPUC para 2016 son de \$7.9 billones. Si esta solicitud es aprobada, PG&E aumentará sus ingresos por \$333 millones en 2017, seguido por un aumento adicional de \$469 millones en 2018 y, en 2019, otro aumento adicional de \$368 millones. El aumento total acumulativo del GRC 2017-2019 será de \$2.305 billones en comparación con la cantidad de los ingresos actuales.

PG&E les envió a todos sus clientes un aviso sobre esta solicitud a partir de septiembre de 2015.

Los ingresos solicitados en este GRC serán utilizados para realizar las siguientes inversiones:

- Mejorar los sistemas de las plantas, postes, cables, tuberías y equipo de las plantas de energía, que sean necesarios para suministrar electricidad y gas a los clientes de PG&E
- Incrementar la seguridad en la operación de las instalaciones de gas y electricidad
- Modernizar la infraestructura para promover una tecnología limpia e integrar recursos tales como paneles solares de techo, almacenamiento en baterías y otros elementos renovables
- Mejorar el servicio al cliente y proporcionarle a la clientela opciones y control con respecto a su consumo de energía
- Continuar las mejoras en preparativos de emergencia y la coordinación con organizaciones de seguridad pública

El GRC no incluye los costos relacionados con el combustible mencionados en el proceso de la Cuenta de Recuperación de Recursos Energéticos de la CPUC (A.15-06-001), los costos relacionados con la transmisión eléctrica indicados en la Comisión Federal Reguladora de Energía, ni los costos de transmisión y almacenamiento de gas (A.13-12-012) que fueron presentados en solicitudes por separado.

**PROCESO DE LA CPUC**

Como parte registrada, la Oficina de Defensores de los Consumidores (ORA, por sus siglas en inglés) ha examinado la solicitud. ORA es un grupo independiente de protección del consumidor dentro de la CPUC con el mandato legislativo de representar a los clientes de las compañías de servicios públicos de propiedad de inversionistas con el fin de obtener la tarifa más baja posible por el servicio de manera consistente con niveles de servicio confiables y seguros. La ORA cuenta con un personal multidisciplinario con experiencia y conocimientos en economía, contabilidad e ingeniería. Para obtener información adicional sobre la ORA, sírvase llamar al **415-703-1584**, enviar un email a [ora@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:ora@cpuc.ca.gov) o visitar el sitio web de ORA en [www.ora.ca.gov/default.aspx](http://www.ora.ca.gov/default.aspx).

**MANTÉNGASE INFORMADO**

Si desea seguir esta audiencia o cualquier otro asunto ante la CPUC, puede usar el servicio gratuito de suscripción de la CPUC. Inscribese en <http://subscribecpuc.cpuc.ca.gov/>. Si no puede asistir a una PPH pero desea hacer un comentario, puede enviar sus comentarios por escrito a la Oficina del Asesor Público. Por favor mencione como referencia la Solicitud de GRC Fase 1 No. 15-09-001 de PG&E en toda comunicación que usted tenga con la CPUC sobre este asunto. Todos los comentarios del público se convertirán en parte del expediente de correspondencia pública de este proceso y estarán disponibles para ser examinados por el Juez, los Comisionados y el personal de la CPUC correspondiente.

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**POR FAVOR, TOME EN CUENTA:** Todos los sitios tienen acceso para personas en sillas de ruedas. Si necesita la presencia de un intérprete de idioma o de asistencia especial, sirva comunicarse con la Oficina del Asesor Público de la CPUC escribiendo a la dirección indicada, al menos cinco días antes de la fecha de la audiencia.

## PG&E's 75 Front Counters at Local Offices

Local Office	Address
Angels Camp	1108 Murphy's Grade Road
Antioch	800 Second St.
Auburn	1050 High Street
Bakersfield	1918 H Street
Berkeley	1900 Addison St., Ste. #101
Burney	20806 Black Ranch Road
Capitola	1955 41st. St., Bldg. B-2
Chico	350 Salem
Clear Lake	14730 Olympic Drive
Coalinga	240 Coalinga Plaza
Colusa	321 Fifth Street
Concord	1030 Detroit Ave.
Cupertino	10900 North Blaney Rd.
Davis	202 Cousteau Court
Dinuba	152 North K Street
E. Oakland	6537 Foothill Blvd.
Eureka	2475 Myrtle Avenue
Fort Bragg	410 Main Street
Fortuna	2755 Rohnerville Road
Fremont	41800 Boscell Road
Fresno	650 O Street
Garberville	1328 Redwood Drive
GrassValley	127 East Main Street
Guerneville	14040 Church Street
Hayward	24300 Clawiter Road
Hollister	551 East St., San Benito, Ca.
Jackson	12626 Jackson Gate Road
Kerman	275 South Madera
King City	118 South Third St.
Lakeport	325 North Forbes Street
Lemoore	208 West D Street
Livermore	998 Murrieta Blvd.
Lodi	12 West Pine Street
Los Banos	940 I Street
Madera	2871 Airport Drive
Manteca	226 East Yosemite Blvd.
Mariposa	5166 Jones Creek Road
Marysville	201 D. Street, Suite A
Merced	3185 M Street, P.O. Box 719
Modesto	1524 North Carpenter Road
Napa	300 Burnell St
Oakdale	285 North Third Avenue
Oakhurst	50150 Road 426, P.O. Box C
Oakland	1919 Webster St.
Oroville	1567 Huntoon
Placerville	4636 Missouri Flat Road
Quincy	435 Wets Main Street
Red Bluff	515 Luther Road
Redding	3600 Meadowview Drive
Richmond	1100 South 27th St.
Ridgecrest	530 S. China Blvd.



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S.F.-China Town	863 Clay St
Sacramento	5555 Florin-Perkins Road
Salinas	356 E. Alisal
San Carlos	1970 Industrial Way
San Jose	111 Almaden
San Luis Obispo	406 Higuera St.
San Rafael	750 Lindero Street, Suite #160
Sanger	624 N Street
Santa Rosa	111 Stony Circle
Selma	1745 Second St.
Sonoma	500 West Napa, Suite 526A
Sonora	14550 Tuolumne Road
Stockton	345 East Channel Street, P.O. Box 930
Taft	550 Gardner Field Road
Tracy	55 East 10th Street
Turlock	135 North Center Street
Ukiah	2541 North State Street
Vacaville	770 Mason Street, Suite 160
Walnut Creek	1535 Bonanza St.
Wasco	1136 7th Street
W. Sacramento	1410 Merkley Ave
Woodland	242 North West Street

## ATTACHMENT B



**DECLARATION OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION  
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REQUEST TO INCREASE RATES FOR THE 2017 GENERAL RATE CASE  
(Phase 1) A. 15-09-001**

I, ERICA KOZOCAS declare:

I am a Senior Production/Project Manager employed by Brainchild Creative, at 12 Geary Street, San Francisco, California. I am responsible for working with Karen Alcantara, Sr. Paralegal, and/or Charles Herrick, Contract Marketing Strategist, (Alcantara/Herrick) of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (the Company) to prepare the attached Notice of Public Participation Hearings Regarding Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Request to Increase Rates for the 2017 General Rate Case (Phase 1), Application number 15-09-001 (Notice), and to schedule the publication dates with the 53 newspapers in the Company's service territory. When Alcantara/Herrick of the Company contacted me concerning the need to publish the Notice, I drafted the publishing schedule for the 53 newspapers (also attached herewith). I forwarded the attached schedule of publication dates to Alcantara/Herrick and was notified the dates were acceptable. I then contacted the 53 newspapers to reserve the publication dates. I receive the proofs of publication from each of the 53 newspapers within 10 days after publication, which I collect and then download to the Company's Box account for electronic storage.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

In San Francisco, California, this 12 day of July, 2016.

  
ERICA KOZOCAS



Para más detalles llame al 1-800-660-6789 • 詳情請致電 1-800-893-9555

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Pacific Gas & Electric Company  
Submitted on 06/12/2016

# GRC PPH Notice

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EAST COUNTY TIMES	Thursday, July 07, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
FEATHER RIVER BULLETIN	Wednesday, June 29, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
FRESNO BEE	Wednesday, June 22, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
GLENN COUNTY TRANSCRIPT (formerly Willows Journal)	Wednesday, June 29, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
HANFORD SENTINEL	Wednesday, June 22, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
LAKE COUNTY RECORD-BEE	Tuesday, July 05, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
LASSEN COUNTY TIMES	Tuesday, June 28, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
LODI NEWS-SENTINEL	Thursday, June 23, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
LOMPOC RECORD	Sunday, July 10, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MADERA TRIBUNE	Wednesday, June 22, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MARIN INDEPENDENT JOURNAL	Thursday, July 07, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MARIPOSA GAZETTE	Thursday, June 23, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MERCED SUN-STAR	Wednesday, June 22, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MODESTO BEE	Thursday, June 23, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MONTEREY COUNTY HERALD	Thursday, July 07, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
MOUNTAIN MESSENGER	Thursday, June 30, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
NAPA VALLEY REGISTER	Tuesday, July 05, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
PARADISE POST	Saturday, June 25, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
PORTERVILLE RECORDER	Tuesday, June 21, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
PRESS DEMOCRAT	Tuesday, July 05, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
RECORD	Thursday, June 23, 2016	1	3 COL X 10.5"
RECORD SEARCHLIGHT	Friday, June 24, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
RED BLUFF DAILY NEWS	Friday, June 24, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
REPORTER	Thursday, July 07, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
SACRAMENTO BEE	Thursday, June 23, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
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SAN JOSE MERCURY NEWS	Thursday, July 07, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
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SANTA MARIA TIMES	Saturday, July 09, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
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TIMES-STANDARD	Friday, June 24, 2016	1	3 COL X 12"
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## ATTACHMENT C

## **DECLARATION OF MAILING NOTICE OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION HEARINGS TO CUSTOMERS**

I, Tim M. Trujillo, an employee of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, state that I am a citizen of the United States and employed in the City of West Sacramento, County of Yolo, State of California; that I am over the age of eighteen (18) years and not a party to the within cause; that my business address is 885 Embarcadero Drive, West Sacramento, California; and that a printed copy of the attached Notice of Public Participation Hearings, Application number 15-09-001, was enclosed with customer bills during the period beginning May 25, 2016 and ending June 23, 2016.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated, July 11, 2016, at West Sacramento, California.

  
TIM M. TRUJILLO

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION HEARINGS  
REGARDING PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY'S  
REQUEST TO INCREASE RATES FOR THE  
2017 GENERAL RATE CASE (PHASE 1) A.15-09-001**

**The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) would like to hear from you.**

The CPUC will hold a series of Public Participation Hearings (PPHs) to hear your comments about Pacific Gas and Electric Company's (PG&E) 2017 General Rate Case (GRC) request to increase its rates, effective January 1, 2017.

**Public Participation Hearings**

The CPUC will hold a series of PPHs at various locations throughout PG&E's service area. These hearings will be your opportunity to express your views on PG&E's GRC. The PPHs will be facilitated by an Administrative Law Judge (Judge) and oral comments will be accepted from the public. At each location, customer service representatives from PG&E will be present to assist with individual customer billing and service concerns.

**PPH dates, times and locations**

Anyone wishing to present their views to the CPUC may attend one of the hearings scheduled below:

<b>BAKERSFIELD</b> <b>July 11, 2016</b> <b>1:00 pm &amp; 6:00 pm</b> Bakersfield City Hall South Council Chambers 1501 Truxtun Avenue Bakersfield, CA 93301	<b>FRESNO</b> <b>July 12, 2016</b> <b>1:00 pm &amp; 6:00 pm</b> Fresno City Council Chambers 2600 Fresno Street Fresno, CA 93721
<b>STOCKTON</b> <b>July 13, 2016</b> <b>7:00 pm</b> Stockton City Council Chambers 425 N. El Dorado Street Stockton, CA 95202	<b>CHICO</b> <b>July 14, 2016</b> <b>6:00 pm</b> Manzanita Place 1705 Manzanita Avenue Chico, CA 95926
<b>RICHMOND</b> <b>July 18, 2016</b> <b>7:00 pm</b> Courtyard Richmond Berkeley 3150 Garrity Way Richmond, CA 94806	<b>OAKLAND</b> <b>July 19, 2016</b> <b>1:00 pm &amp; 6:00 pm</b> Elihu Harris State Building 2nd Floor, Room 2 1515 Clay Street Oakland, CA 94612

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### SAN FRANCISCO

July 20, 2016

1:00 pm & 6:00 pm

Public Utilities Commission  
Auditorium  
505 Van Ness Avenue  
(Corner of Van Ness Avenue  
and McAllister Street)  
San Francisco, CA 94102

### SANTA ROSA

July 25, 2016

1:00 pm & 6:00 pm

City of Santa Rosa/  
Recreation and Parks Department  
Steel Lane Community Center  
Dohn Room  
415 Steele Lane  
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

### SAN BRUNO

July 26, 2016

1:00 pm & 6:00 pm

San Bruno Library  
Downstairs Room  
701 Angus Avenue West  
San Bruno, CA 94066

### SAN JOSE

July 27, 2016

1:00 pm & 6:00 pm

San Jose Scottish Rite Center  
Room 3  
2455 Masonic Drive  
San Jose, CA 95125

### SAN LUIS OBISPO

July 28, 2016

1:00 pm & 6:00 pm

San Luis Obispo City/  
County Library  
Library Community Room  
995 Palm Street  
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

**Please note:** All locations are wheelchair accessible. If you need a language interpreter or special assistance, please contact the CPUC's Public Advisor's Office at the address listed below at least five days in advance of the hearing date.

### About the filing

Every three years, PG&E is required to file a GRC with the CPUC. On September 1, 2015, PG&E filed its 2017 GRC application (A.15-09-001) requesting approval to increase rates to operate, maintain and upgrade PG&E's electric distribution, gas distribution and electric generation facilities. The CPUC will ultimately make a decision on what is reasonable for customers to pay in rates. The current CPUC approved revenue for 2016 is \$7.9 billion. If this request is approved, PG&E will increase revenue \$333 million in 2017, followed by an additional increase of \$469 million in 2018 and, in 2019, an additional increase of \$368 million. The cumulative total increase for the 2017-2019 GRC will be \$2.305 billion as compared to the current revenue amount.

The revenue requested in this GRC will be used to make the following investments:

- Upgrade the system of power plants, poles, wires, pipes and equipment needed to deliver electricity and gas to PG&E customers
- Increase safety in the operation of gas and electric facilities
- Modernize infrastructure to support clean technology and integrate resources such as rooftop solar, battery storage and other renewables
- Improve customer service support and provide customers with choice and control over their energy usage
- Continue improvements in emergency preparedness and coordination with public safety organizations

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