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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Compliance Review of Utility Owned Generation Operations, Electric Energy Resource Recovery Account Entries, Contract Administration, Economic Dispatch of Electric Resources, Utility Owned Generation Fuel Procurement, Diablo Canyon Seismic Studies Balancing Account, and Other Activities for the Period January 1 through December 31, 2015 (U39E).

Application 16-02-019
(Filed February 29, 2016)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING PROVIDING GUIDANCE FOR
EVIDENTIARY HEARING PREPARATION**

Summary

This Ruling directs the parties to work together to develop a list of material contested issues of fact and a cross examination schedule in preparation for an October 19-20, 2016 evidentiary hearing. The list of contested facts and the cross examination schedule shall be served electronically to the Administrative Law Judge and the service list no later than Friday, October 7, 2016.

Discussion

The June 16, 2016 Scoping Memo and Ruling of the assigned Commissioner set forth a schedule for this proceeding that included an evidentiary hearing on October 19 and 20, 2016. Although the assigned Commissioner issued an Amended Scoping Memo on August 18, 2016, the original schedule was not affected.

In preparation for the evidentiary hearing, parties are directed to develop a joint list of contested issues of fact for the Administrative Law Judge. The contested issues of fact should include each party's view of the fact.

Additionally, parties are directed to work together to develop a list of witnesses for cross examination as well as a cross examination schedule. The cross examination information shall be provided in an Excel spreadsheet.

No later than Friday, October 7, 2016, the applicant, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, is directed to send to the Administrative Law Judge and the service list via e-mail the list of contested issues of fact and the cross examination spreadsheet.

IT IS RULED that:

1. The parties of Application 16-02-019 shall work together to prepare a joint list of contested issues of fact in this proceeding and an Excel spreadsheet indicating the witnesses and cross-examination schedule for the October 19-20, 2016 evidentiary hearing.

2. On behalf of the parties of Application (A.)16-02-019, the applicant, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, shall send via electronic mail the joint list of contested issues of fact and the cross examination Excel spreadsheet to the assigned Administrative Law Judge and the service list for A.16-02-019, no later than Friday, October 7, 2016.

Dated September 29, 2016, at San Francisco, California.

 /s/ KELLY A. HYMES
Kelly A. Hymes
Administrative Law Judge