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BEFORE THE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric )  
Company for Authority, Among Other )  
Things, to Increase Rates and Charges for )  
Electric and Gas Service Effective on )  
January 1, 2017 )  
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Application No. 15-09-001  
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**ALLIANCE FOR NUCLEAR RESPONSIBILITY'S  
NOTICE OF ORAL EX PARTE COMMUNICATION**

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## NOTICE OF ORAL EX PARTE COMMUNICATION

Pursuant to Rule 8.4 of the California Public Utilities Commission (“Commission” or “CPUC”) Rules of Practice and Procedure, the Alliance for Nuclear Responsibility (“A4NR”) hereby provides notice of the following oral ex parte communication:

On September 15, 2016, at approximately 3:45 p.m., A4NR’s Executive Director, Rochelle Becker made an oral comment at a public workshop held at the Commission’s San Francisco offices concerning the formation of an Office of Safety Advocates. Ms. Becker raised several issues related to the announced retirement of the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant: monitoring safety vs cost-effectiveness during the transition to 2024/25; concerns voiced by the CPUC-created Diablo Canyon Independent Safety Committee related to worker retention and safety investments over the next nine years; and whether the CPUC’s safety staff intends to monitor these issues at DCNPP or instead claim they are preempted by federal law.

Commissioner Michel Peter Florio was in attendance when Ms. Becker spoke. She did not recognize and does not believe any other Commission decision makers or Commissioners’ personal advisors were present.

Respectfully submitted,

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