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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Recovery of Recorded Expenditures Related to Wildfire Mitigation and Gas Safety (U39M).

Application 23-06-008

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING REVISING
TRACK 1 PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

This ruling revises the Track 1 procedural schedule as outlined below.

1. Background

On November 1, 2023, the Commission established the procedural schedule in its Scoping Memo and Ruling (Scoping Memo).

On December 28, 2023, the Public Advocates Office at the California Public Utilities Commission (Cal Advocates) filed a motion requesting the Track 1 procedural schedule be extended by changing the current due date for Intervenor Testimony from March 1, 2024, to a new date of September 3, 2024 (Motion). Cal Advocates sought the extension due to discovery disputes with Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E). On January 12, 2023, PG&E responded opposing the Motion, and The Utility Reform Network (TURN), and jointly Energy Producer and Users Coalition and Indicated Shippers (EPUC/IS) responded in support the Motion. On January 16, 2024, and again on February 1, 2024, PG&E and Cal Advocates filed status updates on the continuing discovery dispute. On February 5, 2024, I conducted a discovery conference to further establish the status and resolution of the outstanding discovery requests.

The first procedural event subsequent to the issuance of the Scoping Memo was to have been filing of the Grant Thornton audit for consideration into evidence on January 2, 2024. The Grant Thornton audit is currently expected to be produced by the end of February 2024.

2. Procedural Schedule Revised

To facilitate a fair and efficient resolution of issues in this proceeding, the procedural schedule is revised as follows:

Event	Previous Date (all 2024)	New Date
Audit, Filed for Consideration into Evidence	January 2	March 15 (estimated)
Intervenors Prepared Direct Testimony Served	March 1	May 16
Prepared Rebuttal Testimony Served	April 1	June 5
Rule 13.9 Meet and Confer	On or before May 6	June 18
Status Update on Results of Meet and Confer, Filed and Served	On or before May 7	June 20
Evidentiary Hearing, held in-person in San Francisco	May 15	June 27
Opening Briefs	June 17	August 5
Reply Briefs <i>[matter submitted]</i>	July 3	Aug 26
Proposed Decision	<i>[no later than 90 days after submission]</i>	

IT IS SO RULED.

Dated February 12, 2024, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ CAMILLE WATTS-ZAGHA
Camille Watts-Zagha
Administrative Law Judge