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Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Compliance Review of Utility Owned Generation Operations, Portfolio Allocation Balancing Account Entries, Energy Resource Recovery Account Entries, Contract Administration, Economic Dispatch of Electric Resources, Utility Owned Generation Fuel Procurement, and Other Activities for the Record Period January 1 Through December 31, 2025.

Application 26-02-019

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING

This ruling sets a virtual status conference to review the need for evidentiary hearing. The status conference is set for November 6, 2026, at 10:00 am via the Webex platform. This ruling further directs the parties to meet and confer and to submit a Joint Status Conference Statement on October 30, 2026, stating whether evidentiary hearings are necessary and if so, providing lists of 1) all disputed material facts, 2) all witnesses, and for each witness, the disputed material facts to which the witness will testify, 3) direct and cross-examination estimate times for each witness a party proposes to conduct direct examination and cross-examination, and 4) the status of any settlement discussions to date.

1. Procedural Background

On February 27, 2026, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) filed this Application for Compliance Review of Utility Owned Generation Operations, Portfolio Allocation Balancing Account Entries, Energy Resource Recovery

Account Entries, Contract Administration, Economic Dispatch of Electric Resources, Utility Owned Generation Fuel Procurement, and Other Activities for the Record Period January 1 Through December 31, 2025 (Application).

On April 2, 2026, the Public Advocates office at the California Public Utilities Commission and the California Community Choice Association¹ filed protests. On April 13, 2026, PG&E filed a reply to the protests.

The assigned Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) held a prehearing conference (PHC) on April 13, 2026, to address the issues of law and fact, determine the need for hearing, to set the schedule for resolving the matter, and to address other matters as necessary.

Commissioner Baker issued a Scoping Memo and Ruling on May 26, 2026. The schedule in the Scoping Ruling and Memo set a status conference for November 6, 2026, and requires the parties to meet and confer and file and Status Conference Statement by October 30, 2026.

2. Discussion

2.1. Status Conference Statement

As required in the Scoping Memo and Ruling, the parties must meet and confer and submit an updated Joint Status Conference Statement on or before October 30, 2026, stating whether evidentiary hearings are necessary and if so, providing lists of 1) all disputed material facts, 2) all witnesses, and for each

¹ California Community Choice Association represents the interests of 24 community choice electricity providers in California: Apple Valley Choice Energy, Ava Community Energy, Central Coast Community Energy, Clean Energy Alliance, Clean Power Alliance of Southern California, CleanPowerSF, Desert Community Energy, Energy For Palmdale's Independent Choice, Lancaster Energy, Marin Clean Energy, Orange County Power Authority, Peninsula Clean Energy, Pico Rivera Innovative Municipal Energy, Pioneer Community Energy, Pomona Choice Energy, Rancho Mirage Energy Authority, Redwood Coast Energy Authority, San Diego Community Power, San Jacinto Power, San José Clean Energy, Santa Barbara Clean Energy, Silicon Valley Clean Energy, Sonoma Clean Power, and Valley Clean Energy.

witness, the disputed material facts to which the witness will testify, 3) direct and cross-examination estimate times for each witness a party proposes to conduct direct examination and cross-examination, and 4) the status of any settlement discussions to date.

2.2. Virtual Status Conference

The virtual status conference will be held on November 6, 2026, at 10:00 am. Please log in ten minutes before the scheduled status conference to confirm your video and audio link work.

- Join from the meeting link

<https://cpuc.webex.com/cpuc/j.php?MTID=mdf2596bc08c18a14b69b12a8f5850dc6>

- Join by meeting number:

Meeting number (access code): 2488 062 9421

Meeting password: JejP8ymBP33

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2.3. Rules for Status Conference

The court reporters will rely on the audio from the telephone or Webex to transcribe the status conference.

To ensure a complete and accurate record, parties are directed to participate from a location free of background noise and activity and to adhere to the following ground rules during the status conference:

- Keep your camera;
- Mute your phone or audio when not speaking;

- Speak only when addressed by the Administrative Law Judge;
- State your name each and every time before you speak;
- Speak slowly and clearly;
- Do not use a speaker phone when speaking;
- Do not interrupt or speak over one another; and
- Unless good cause is shown for multiple speakers, each party will be limited to one speaker.

IT IS SO RULED.

1. A virtual status conference shall be held on November 6, 2026, at 10:00 am.
2. The parties shall meet and confer and file a Joint Status Conference Statement by October 30, 2026, that complies with the requirements of this ruling.

Dated October 27, 2026, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ LEAH S. GOLDBERG

Leah S. Goldberg
Administrative Law Judge