PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY Wildfire Mitigation Plans Discovery 2023 Data Response

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Subject: Regarding Confirmation of 2024/2025 Targets

QUESTION 001

- a. PG&E's 2023-2025 WMP Revision 3 Table 8.1.7-2 (page 555) shows that PG&E expects to close 66,200 backlog distribution ignition risk tags in 2024 and 59,000 backlog distribution ignition risk tags in 2025. PG&E's targets in Tables 8-3 and RN-PG&E-23-04-2 do not reflect the same expected number of backlog ignition tag closures outlined in Table 8.1.7-2, as these tables show targets of closing 46,000 distribution backlog tags in 2024 and 55,000 distribution backlog tags in 2025.
 - i. Confirm that PG&E intends for its targets to reflect the plan and commitment made in its 2023-2025 WMP Revision 3 Table 8.1.7-2 (page 555).
 - ii. If not, explain the discrepancy between the commitment to close 66,200 backlog distribution ignition risk tags in 2024 and 59,000 backlog distribution ignition risk tags in 2025 (Table 8.1.7-2, page 555) to the targets outlined in Tables 8-3 and RN-PG&E-23-04-2.

Answer 001

- i. Table RN-PG&E-23-04-2 outlines that PG&E expects to close a minimum of 46,000 distribution backlog ignition risk EC notifications in 2024 and a minimum of 55,000 distribution backlog ignition risk EC notifications in 2025, respectively. We can confirm that we plan to meet or exceed the backlog ignition risk EC notification volumes for both years.
- ii. The discrepancy between the two tables reflects expected multi-year planning values as compared to the minimum required tags to meet our risk reduction targets. The 46,000 tags represent the minimum amount of tags needed to meet our 68% wildfire risk reduction in the tag backlog, which was set as the target in our initial WMP submission. Given the bundling approach proposed in the subsequent Revision Notice response, we anticipate that we will be able to complete a larger number of tags. This will exceed the quantity and risk reduction targets that were initially set forth in Table 8-3, for both years. Additionally, the population of tags utilized to create the two tables is not identical. The population of tags that is included in writing Table 8.1.7-2 for the Revision Notice response includes some tags created in 2023. These tags were not part of the initial backlog population when the WMP target was written earlier in the year. Thus, Table 8-3 is based on the

backlog population at the time of writing the initial 2023 WMP, while Table 8.1.7-2 reflects a more current view of the tag population.			