Trans Bay Cable (TBC)

Data Request From: Office of Energy Safety

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REQUEST

Q01: Regarding TBC's Converter Maintenance Practices:

a. Provide the latest version of TBC's Converter Maintenance Practices (TBC-MP-001).

TBC Response to Question 1: Trans Bay Cable (TBC) provides the current version of its Converter Maintenance Practices (TBC-MP-001) as a confidential attachment to this data request. TBC requests confidentiality for TBC-MP-001, and requests that the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety not disclose TBC-MP-001 or the information contained therein to the public or any third party. Confidential treatment of TBC-MP-001 by the Energy Safety is appropriate pursuant to:

- U.S. Code Title 16, Section 8240-1, and regulations promulgated thereunder by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") (18 C.F.R. § 388.113) prohibiting disclosure of critical electric infrastructure information;
- Section 6254(k) of the California Government Code, which specifies that a state agency is not required to disclose "records, the disclosure of which is exempted or prohibited pursuant to federal or state law, including, but not limited to, provisions of the Evidence code relating to privilege;" and
- Section 1040 of the California Evidence Code, which specifies that a public entity has a privilege to refuse to disclose information acquired in confidence by a public employee in the course of his or her duty and not open, or officially disclosed, to the public prior to the time the claim of privilege is made, when disclosure is forbidden by an act of Congress of the United States or a statute of this state.