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8 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**
9 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
10 **SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

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12 In re

13 PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC
14 COMPANY, a California corporation,

15 Debtor.

Case No. SF 01-30923 DM

Chapter 11

**PUBLIC POLICY ADVOCATES LLC'S
COVER SHEET APPLICATION FOR
ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF
INTERIM COMPENSATION AND
REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES
FOR AUGUST 1, 2001 THROUGH
OCTOBER 31, 2001**

Hearing:

Date: [None Required]
Time: [None Required]
Place: 235 Pine Street, 22nd Floor
San Francisco, CA

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24 Public Policy Advocates LLC ("PPA") submits its Cover Sheet
25 Application (the "Application") for Allowance and Payment of Interim Compensation
26 and Reimbursement of Expenses for the Period August 1, 2001 through
27 October 31, 2001 (the "Application Period"). In support of the Application, PPA
28 respectfully represents as follows:

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1 1. PPA is the Legislative Activities Consultant to the Official Committee of
2 Unsecured Creditors in the Pacific Gas and Electric Company ("Debtor") bankruptcy
3 case. PPA hereby applies to the Court for allowance and payment of interim
4 compensation for services rendered and reimbursement of expenses during the
5 Application Period.

6 2. PPA billed a total of \$18,000.00 in fees and \$16.12 in expenses
7 during the Application Period.

8 3. Accordingly, PPA seeks allowance of interim compensation in the total
9 amount of \$15,316.12 at this time. This total is comprised as follows: \$15,300 (85% of
10 the fees for services rendered)¹ plus \$16.12 (100% of the expenses incurred).

11 4. PPA has not been paid to date for fees and expenses.

12 5. To date (through 10/31/01) PPA is owed as follows (including amounts
13 owed pursuant to this Application):

Application Period	Amount	Description
08/01/01 to 8/31/01	\$6,000.00	Consulting Services
09/01/01 to 09/30/01	\$6,016.12	Consulting Services and expense reimbursement
10/01/01 to 10/31/01	\$6,000.00	Consulting Services

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20 6. With regard to the copies of this Application served on counsel for the
21 Debtor and the Office of the United States Trustee, attached as Exhibit 1 hereto is an
22 invoice for the Application Period that complies with all Northern District of California
23 Bankruptcy Local Rules and Compensation Guidelines and the Guidelines of the Office
24 of the United States Trustee.

25 7. PPA has served a copy of this Application (without Exhibits) on the
26 Special Notice List in this case.

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28 ¹ Payment of this amount would result in a holdback of \$2,700.00.

1 8. Pursuant to this Court's "AMENDED ORDER ESTABLISHING
2 INTERIM FEE APPLICATION AND EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT PROCEDURE"
3 which was entered on or about November 8, 2001, the Debtor is authorized to make the
4 payment requested herein without a further hearing or order of this Court unless an
5 objection to this Application is filed with the Court by the Debtor or the United States
6 Trustee and served by the fifteenth day of the month following the service of this
7 Application. If such an objection is filed, Debtor is authorized to pay the amounts, if any,
8 net subject to the objection. This Cover Sheet Application was mailed by first class mail,
9 postage prepaid, on or about November 30, 2001.

10 9. The interim compensation and reimbursement of expenses sought in this
11 Application is on account and is not final. Upon the conclusion of this case, PPA will
12 seek fees and reimbursement of the expenses incurred for the totality of the services
13 rendered in the case. Any interim fees or reimbursement of expenses approved by this
14 Court and received by PPA will be credited against such final fees and expenses as may
15 be allowed by this Court.

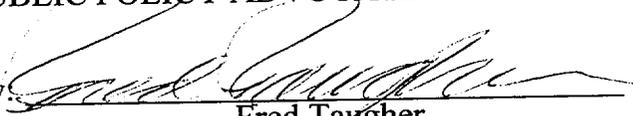
16 10. PPA represents and warrants that its billing practices comply with all
17 Northern District of California Bankruptcy Local Rules and Compensation Guidelines
18 and the Guidelines of the Office of the United States Trustee. Neither PPA nor any
19 members of PPA has any agreement or understanding of any kind or nature to divide, pay
20 over or share any portion of the fees or expenses to be awarded to PPA with any other
21 person or attorney except as among the members and associates of PPA.
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WHEREFORE, PPA respectfully requests that the Debtor pay compensation to PPA as requested herein pursuant to and in accordance with the terms of the "AMENDED ORDER ESTABLISHING INTERIM FEE APPLICATION AND EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT PROCEDURE."

DATED: November 28, 2001

PUBLIC POLICY ADVOCATES LLC

By 
Fred Taugher