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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

In re
PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC
COMPANY, a California corporation,

Debtor.

Federal I.D. No. 94-0742640

No. 01 30923 DM
Chapter 11 Case
Date: February 8, 2002
Time: 2:30 p.m.
Place: 235 Pine St., 22nd Floor
San Francisco, California
Judge: Hon. Dennis Montali

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DECLARATION OF VALERIE O. FONG IN SUPPORT OF
DEBTOR'S MOTION FOR ORDER
APPROVING CONSTRUCTION OF TRI-VALLEY PROJECT

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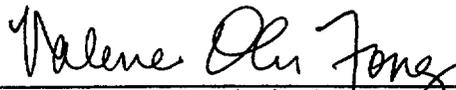
I, Valerie O. Fong, declare as follows:

1. I am the Director, Capital and Expense Program Management Pacific Gas and Electric Company ("PG&E"), a position I have held since November 1, 2000. I make this Declaration based upon my personal knowledge of PG&E's capital programs, and upon my review of PG&E's records concerning the matters stated herein. If called as a witness, I could and would testify competently to the facts stated herein.

2. On November 29, 2001, PG&E submitted a notice and description of the Tri-Valley Project to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Creditors' Committee"), pursuant to Judge Dennis Montali's Order Re: Motion for Authority to Make Capital Expenditures in the Ordinary Course of Business in PG&E's Chapter 11 case in front of the U.S. Bankruptcy court, Northern District of California, San Francisco Division (Case No. 01-30923 DM). Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of PG&E's notice to the Creditors' Committee.

3. On December 12, 2001, the Creditors' Committee notified me by email that it did not oppose the Tri Valley Project "but would be appreciative if [it] could monitor critical events leading up to the actual cash outlay." Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of the Creditors' Committee email.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 9th day of January, 2002, at San Francisco, California.



Valerie O. Fong

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