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PG&E Letter HBL-04-003

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Docket No. 50-133, OL-DPR-7 Humboldt Bay Power Plant, Unit 3 Revision 5 to the Defueled Safety Analysis Report, Revision 14 to the SAFSTOR Quality Assurance Plan, and Revision 1 to the Technical Specifications Bases

Dear Commissioners and Staff:

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.71(e), Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) is enclosing the Humboldt Bay Power Plant (HBPP) Defueled Safety Analysis Report (DSAR), Revision 5, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.4(b)(6).

The changes contained in Revision 5 of the DSAR include plant modifications performed since DSAR, Revision 4, was submitted to the NRC (Reference PG&E Letter HBL-02-016, dated August 23, 2002), and reflect current plant configuration and organization, as well as an overall reformatting of the DSAR that was implemented to eliminate redundancies and provide better organization of DSAR information. Enclosure A contains Revision 5 of the DSAR in its entirety, including revision bars for the technical changes.

Enclosure B contains Revision 14 to the SAFSTOR Quality Assurance Plan that is being submitted in accordance with 10 CFR 50.54(a)(3). Changes are noted with revision bars.

Enclosure C contains Revision 1 to the HBPP Technical Specifications Bases that is being submitted in accordance with HBPP Technical Specification 5.6.2.d. Changes are noted with revision bars.

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If you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact Mr. David Sokolsky at (707) 444-0801.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY)

Humboldt Bay Power Plant Unit 3

Docket No. 50-133 Facility Operating License No. DPR-7

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AFFIDAVIT

I, Gregory M. Rueger, first being duly sworn, depose and say: that I am Senior Vice President - Generation and Chief Nuclear Officer, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, the licensee herein; that I have full power and authority to execute this oath and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the enclosed Defueled Safety Analysis Report, Revision 5, and the enclosed SAFSTOR Quality Assurance Plan, Revision 14, on behalf of said company; that I am familiar with the contents thereof; and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Gregory M. Rueger Senior Vice President - Generation and Chief Nuclear Officer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 2004.

State of California County of San Luis Obispo

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