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REGION IV
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Public Meeting 20180822

MEETING SUMMARY

LICENSEE: Pacific Gas & Electric Co.
FACILITY: Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Units 1 and 2
SUBJECT: ANNUAL ASSESSMENT MEETING SUMMARY

On August 28, 2018 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) conducted a town hall meeting at the Embassy Suites hotel in San Luis Obispo, CA, to discuss its assessment of the safety performance at Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Units 1 and 2.

A notice of the town hall meeting was issued on July 20, 2018, and was posted on the NRC's external (public) Website. The meeting notice can be found in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML18201A323. ADAMS is accessible from the NRC's Website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>.

NRC staff provided a summary of the safety performance of Diablo Canyon for 2017, as documented in our Annual Assessment Letter dated February 28, 2018 (ADAMS Accession No. ML18057A436). Information relative to the NRC's Annual Assessment Process and the safety performance of Diablo Canyon Power Plant can be found on the NRC's website at <http://www.nrc.gov/reactors/operating/oversight.html>.

Approximately eight members of the public attended the meeting and were offered the opportunity to ask questions and provide comments to the NRC regarding Diablo Canyon's performance and the role of the agency in ensuring safe plant operations.

Public comments and questions focused on the following:

- Concerns with the licensee's use of operator workarounds and deferred maintenance during the last years of planned operation.
- Statements of support for the continuing operation of the Diablo Canyon units beyond the initial 40-year licenses.
- A 2016 resolution from the Berkeley, CA City Council requesting the NRC create a plan to shut down the Diablo Canyon reactors due to concerns with the station's ability to

withstand an earthquake.

- Specific questions relative to the number and design of multipurpose canisters currently and potentially stored in the Diablo Canyon Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation.
- Specific technical questions regarding the potential for degradation of the Diablo Canyon reactor vessels due to neutron embrittlement.
- The NRC's process for transitioning a station to decommissioning status, and Congressional concerns with the "Decommissioning Rule" currently under consideration by the Commission.

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SUMMARY OF ANNUAL ASSESSMENT MEETING REGARDING DIABLO CANYON POWER PLANT 2017 PERFORMANCE DATED SEPTEMBER 11, 2018

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