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## **PG&E Comments on Proposed 2018 IEPR Update Scope**

Additional submitted attachment is included below.



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Re: <u>Docket 18-IEPR-01: Pacific Gas and Electric Comments on Proposed 2018 Integrated Energy</u>
<u>Policy Scoping Order</u>

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) appreciates the California Energy Commission's (CEC) continued policy leadership and looks forward to working with the CEC and other stakeholders throughout the 2018 Integrated Energy Policy (IEPR) Update process.

PG&E supports the 2018 IEPR Update scoping order which appropriately does not include nuclear issues as part of the proposed scope. In the 2017 IEPR, the CEC deferred holding workshops on this topic pending resolution of issues in the Nuclear Decommissioning Cost Triennial Proceeding (NDCTP). The CEC should do the same in the 2018 IEPR Update, given the timing of the NDCTP filing. This is an important issue for all Californians and PG&E will be happy to provide updated fuel inventories through the data request process.

Additionally, PG&E recommends including a review of affordability in the 2018 IEPR. The state has made tremendous progress on a number of energy goals and has some of the most ambitious 2030 plans in the nation, if not world. However, equally important is ensuring that we are achieving these goals affordably and are equitably allocating both the costs and benefits of resources needed to meet these policy goals. Including a review of California's progress from an affordability perspective will help the state pursue cost-effective policies that are more likely to achieve our ambitious goals.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the 2018 IEPR Update Scoping Order. We look forward to working with the CEC on this Update throughout the year.

| Sincerely, |  |
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