

Fast Trip, Unplanned Outages, and Distribution Reliability Workshop

Agenda

Friday | March 17, 2023 | 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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The electric investor-owned utilities and Joint Parties will publicly present to the CPUC and other stakeholders regarding fast trip, unplanned outages, and distribution reliability issues and the impacts on customers. Ruling 18-12-005 from President Reynolds directed this workshop to help identify issues and questions that will help the Commission make decisions related to IOUs' fast trip programs and other newly emergent reliability concerns. The discussion will look at the causes of power outages, including outages related to public safety power shutoffs, outages on circuits where fast trip settings are activated, and any other types of outages tracked by utilities. There will also be an opportunity for public comment at the end of the workshop.

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9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Opening Remarks - Introduction to Workshop
	CPUC Commissioners Steven Klaiber, Senior Regulatory Analyst, Wildfire Safety Enforcement Branch
	Joint Parties Presentation and Questions from Dais
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	John Kennedy, Policy Advocate, RCRC Kirstin Kolpitcke, Legislative and Regulatory Manager, Pioneer Community Energy Neal Reardon, Director of Regulatory Affairs, Sonoma Clean Power Amulya Yerrapotu, Policy Associate, Marin Clean Energy David Peffer, External Counsel, Joint CCAs













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9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	CPUC Presentation
	Julian Enis, Utilities Engineer, Resiliency and Microgrids
	Nathan Sarina, Utilities Engineer, Electric Safety and Reliability Branch
10:15 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	Pacific Gas & Electric Presentation and Questions from Dais
	Mark Quinlan, VP Electric System Operations
	Dave Canny, Director Enhanced Powerline Safety Settings Program
	Dave Meier, Senior Manager, Customer Emergency Planning and Operations
10:50 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Southern California Edison Presentation and Questions from Dais
	Ray Fugere, Principal Manager of Wildfire Mitigation Strategy
11:25 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	San Diego Gas & Electric Presentation and Questions from Dais
	Jonathan Woldemariam, Director of Wildfire Mitigation and Vegetation Management
	Shaun Gahagan, Wildfire Mitigation Program Manager
	Chris Bolton, System Protection Automation & Control Engineering Manager
	Mehrdad Majidi, Distribution Protection & Automation Team Lead
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Break
1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Public Advocates Office Presentation
	Justin Hagler, Senior Regulatory Analyst, Safety Policy Section
	Matthew Taul, Utilities Engineer, Safety Analysis Section
	Franky Lao, Utilities Engineer, Safety Analysis Section
	Iain Fisher, Program and Project Supervisor, Safety Analysis Section
1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Public Comments
	Any member of the public may make public comments.
1:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Closing Remarks
	CPUC Commissioners
	Steven Klaiber, Senior Regulatory Analyst, Wildfire Safety Enforcement Branch

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