

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
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April 13, 2020

Dan Marsh

Manager – Rates and Regulatory Affairs
Liberty Utilities – California

Subject: Directive to Provide Ongoing Information on Planned Service Interruptions

Dear Mr. Marsh:

With communities across California still under a shelter in place mandate from Governor Newsom, the Safety and Enforcement Division (SED) is requesting information from Liberty Utilities regarding any upcoming critical planned outages throughout its service territory. SED recognizes that critical work related to wildfire and PSPS activities must continue throughout this unusual time but wants to ensure that the wellness and safety of all Californians continues to be a priority.

In order for the Commission to better understand the current status and potential impact a planned outage may have on electric customers, we are requesting Liberty Utilities provide a list of all planned power outages scheduled for the next 14 days within its service territory. This information should continue to be provided to SED on a two-week rolling basis until further notice. The attached spreadsheet details the information SED is requesting with regards to each upcoming scheduled planned outage in Liberty Utility's service territory. For those outages affecting 50 or more customers or with a duration of five (5) hours or longer, we are seeking additional information on the mitigation efforts Liberty is doing to reduce the impact on customers (columns E, F, and G).

Within five (5) calendar days, please complete and return the attached spreadsheet by providing your responses to the information requested. This request is on-going and open until further notice.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact Nika Kjensli at (415) 314-0464 or by email: nika.kjensli@cpuc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Lee Palmer
Director
Safety and Enforcement Division