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Ms. Anke Neumann, Environmental Scientist
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3401 Crow Canyon Road, MS 155-D
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RE: No Further Action - Soil Remediation, Complaint No.CO0013929 and RO0003137, PG&E
Castro Valley Substation Spill RE: Transformer Oil Spill, 3160 Grove Way, Castro Valley
CA 94546

Dear Ms. Neumann:


Thank you for the *Site Investigation Results and Closure Request* dated March 12, 2014, prepared and submitted by PG&E for the above referenced site. Based on information in the above-referenced file, and with the provision that the information provided to this agency was accurate and representative of site conditions, this agency finds that the site investigation and remedial action carried out at the above-referenced site satisfies the cleanup goal requirements as stipulated in the correspondence between the Responsible Party and Alameda County Department of Environmental Health as outlined in Section 101480 of the Health and Safety Code, and that no further action related to the release of petroleum hydrocarbon (mineral oil) at the site is required.

The referenced report documents that the maximum mineral oil level was detected at 7,800 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg). Naphthalene was not detected above the detection level of 25 mg/kg in a sample taken from a depth of 6 inches. Upon shallow soil excavation and removal, a confirmation sample collected from a depth of three feet detected 170 mg/kg mineral oil. Therefore, no further investigation or cleanup actions are required. Please be aware that further work may be required if conditions change or a water quality threat related to the contamination is discovered at the subject site.

This notice is issued pursuant to subdivision (e) of Section 101480 of the Health and Safety Code. If you have any further questions concerning this matter, please contact Karel Detterman at (510) 567-6708.

Sincerely,


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Director

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