

LETTER AGREEMENT 96-57-PGE NO.



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INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS, AFL-CIO LOCAL UNION 1245, I.B.E.W P.O. BOX 4790 WALNUT CREEK, CALIFORNIA 94596 (510) 933-6060

MEL BRADLEY, MANAGER OR DAVID J. BERGMAN, CHIEF NEGOTIATOR JACK MCNALLY, BUSINESS MANAGER

June 13, 1996

Local Union No. 1245 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, AFL-CIO P.O. Box 4790 Walnut Creek, CA 94598

Attention: Mr. Jack McNally, Business Manager

Gentlemen:

Various employees in Sierra Division have requested to sell unused vacation to assist Rita Castro. widow of Mike Castro, Lineman, Placerville, who was found unconscious at the job site on June 4, and later passed away; cause of death is still pending. As a result of his death, Mrs. Castro is currently experiencing severe emotional and financial hardship.

This proposal has been reviewed with Phil Carter.

If you are in accord with the foregoing and agree thereto, please so indicate in the space provided and return one executed copy of this letter to the Company.

Very truly yours.

PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

The Union is in accord with the foregoing and agrees thereto as of the date hereof.

Business Manager