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Request from: Office of Consumer Counsel

Question:

(Dues) Non-Industry:

a. Identify all non-industry dues and memberships payments included in the test year and included for recovery in the rate year and identify the amount(s) into which such amounts are charged.
b. State the purpose and objective of each organization listed.
c. State whether any of the organizations listed engage in lobbying or advocacy activities, attempts to influence public opinion, institutional or image-building advertising. If so, state if the Company has included the portions of dues related to such activities in the test year and rate year.
d. Identify the benefits provided to ratepayers.

Response:

(a) through (d):

As shown in Exhibit CLP-REVREQ-2, Work Paper C-3.22, page 1, the Company is not requesting recovery of any non-industry association dues in the Rate Year. As explained in the testimony in Exhibit CLP-REVREQ-1 at pages 99 and 100, "the downward pro forma adjustment to the test year of ($210,000) consists of the removal of all non-industry related dues expenses in accordance with the passage of Senate Bill No. 7."