METZ MARY S Form 4 January 05, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **METZ MARY S**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

01/03/2005

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ALAMEDA, CA 94501

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | ole I - Non- | Derivative | Secur | ities A | cquired, Dispose | d of, or Benef | icially Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---------------|-----------|--|--|---|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2005 | | A | 908 (1) | A | \$0 | 9,374.84 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2005 | | A | 908.54 (2) | A | \$0 | 10,283.38 (3) | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 3,813 | I | Held through The Investor Services Program for Shareholders of PG&E Corporation |
| | | | | | | | 2,227 | I | |

Common Stock Held by Mary S. Metz Profit Sharing Plan and Trust

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transactio | 5. orNumber | 6. Date Exer Expiration D | | 7. Title Amou | | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
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| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | (Year) | Underl | lying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securit | ties | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | 3 | | (Instr. | 3 and 4) | | Own |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
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| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | | (Instr |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | or | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | | Number | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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REGULUS COURT X

ALAMEDA, CA 94501

Signatures

Eric Montizambert, Attorney-in-Fact for Mary S. Metz (signed Power of Attorney on file with SEC)

01/05/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations, See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Restricted shares granted under the PG&E Corporation Non-Employee Director Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) Phantom stock granted under the PG&E Corporation Non-Employee Director Stock Incentive Plan. Phantom stock is payable in common stock on a one-for-one basis upon a director's death, disability, retirement, or a change in control, as defined in the PG&E Corporation

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Non-Employee Director Stock Incentive Plan.

(3) Includes 5,274.38 units of phantom stock granted under the PG&E Corporation Non-Employee Director Stock Incentive Plan, which are automatically payable in stock only.

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