

HERRINGER MARYELLEN C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HERRINGER MARYELLEN C**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 90 SEA VIEW AVENUE  
 (Street)

PIEDMONT, CA 94611

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PG&E CORP [PCG]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/03/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	01/03/2006		A		800 <sup>(1)</sup> \$ 0 800	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2006		A		400.32 <sup>(2)</sup> \$ 0 1,200.32 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					2,100	I	Held by Frank C. and Maryellen Cattani Herringer 1995 Family

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 Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 37.47	01/03/2006		A	2,491	<u>(4)</u>	01/03/2016	Common Stock	2,491
Phantom Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/03/2006		A	300.24 <u>(6)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	300.24

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HERRINGER MARYELLEN C 90 SEA VIEW AVENUE PIEDMONT, CA 94611			X	

## Signatures

Eric Montizambert, Attorney-In-Fact for Maryellen C. Herringer (signed Power of Attorney on file with SEC)

01/05/2006

\_\_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 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan (LTIP).
- (2) Restricted Stock Units granted under the PG&E Corporation 2006 LTIP. Restricted Stock Units are 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 2006 LTIP.
- (3)

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This total includes 400.32 Restricted Stock Units granted under the PG&E Corporation 2006 LTIP. The Restricted Stock Units are automatically payable in stock only.

- (4) Options become exercisable as to 33% of the options on the second anniversary of the date of grant, as to 66% on the third anniversary, and as to 100% on the fourth anniversary.
- (5) 1 for 1
- (6) Phantom stock acquired upon deferral of compensation under the Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors; exempt under Rule 16b-3(d).
- (7) Phantom stock is payable in accordance with the terms of the Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.

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