

Blade Energy Partner's Root Cause Analysis (RCA) – Updated Schedule (3/15/19)

Blade Energy Partner's RCA of the Aliso Canyon SS-25 failure is in the final Phase.

The estimated RCA completion date has moved from March 31, 2019 to May 1, 2019.

Just prior to the week of February 27, 2019 SoCal Gas, for the first time, informed Blade that it was supplementing its data responses to certain Blade data requests that Blade issued as part of its RCA, all of which were previously thought to be complete. The original dates of these Blade data requests were Jan 31, 2016, Feb 19, 2016, April 7, 2016 and Feb 18, 2018.

On March 1, 2019 and March 6, 2019 Blade received over 25,000 Bates numbered pages along with electronic files for these 2016-2018 data requests.

Blade is currently reviewing this massive set of data to determine if it significantly impacts the RCA.

The Safety and Enforcement Division is investigating SoCal Gas's timing and practices related to this significant data dump on Blade.