Q. Re: Account T04: Please provide the number and height of towers retired by year for the past 10 years for Account T04 - Towers. Further, provide the total number, by height and type, of tower in service as of the end of 2009 and currently. Also, identify what type of inspection program is in place and the year each program began.

A. Refer to CA-NLH-135 Attachment 1 for a description and quantity of towers retired for the past 10 years. Tower heights are not maintained as part of the plant records. There are a total of 5,458 steel towers and approximately 655 aluminum towers in service. There have been no appreciable changes in the number of towers since 2009. The height of these towers range from 15 meters to 33 meters. Approximately 10% of steel and aluminum towers are inspected each year to ensure that all towers are fully inspected every ten years. This inspection program began in 2003.

Assets Retired from Account T04 - Towers 2000 - 2009

Year	Asset Description	Quantity
2000	METAL TOWERS (GUYED)	6
2000	SUPPLY/INSTALL TYPE "DD" 230KV METAL TOWERS	2
2000	METAL TOWERS (GUYED); 5 TY , 2 TYPE B	2
2000	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED); 2-TC, 3-TYPE DD	2
2000	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED)	29
2002	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED); TYPE C	3
2002	METAL TOWERS (GUYED)	55
2002	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED)	15
2003	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED)	2
2003	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED) 3-TYPE DD	2
2003	PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING & SURV EY COST FOR 230KV TL (TOWERS)	1
2003	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED) TRANS FROM 011420	1
2003	ANCHORS FOR GUYED TOWERS TRANS FROM PL011612	1
2003	ADD. COST RE METAL TOWERS RE ASSET 011534	3
2003	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED)	1
2004	METAL TOWERS (RIDGED)	4
2004	METAL TOWERS (GUYED)	12
	Total Quantity Retired	**141**