Decision No. 18070

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of BELVEDERE WATER CORPORATION for a certificate that public convenience and necessity require the exercise of rights and privileges granted applicant by the County of Los Angeles, under Ordinance Number 1468.

Application No. 13912.

McCutchen, Olney, Mannon and Greene by John T. Pigott, for applicant.

BY THE COMMISSION:

OFIZION

Belvedere Water Corporation, applicant in the above entitled proceeding, operating a public utility water system supplying water to a large territory contiguous to the easterly boundary of the City of Los Angeles, known as Belvedere, asks the Railroad Commission for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to exercise rights and privileges heretofore granted to it by the County of Los Angeles under Ordinances No. 1107 and No. 1468 (New Series), set forth in Exhibits "A" and "B" attached to the application herein.

A public hearing in this matter was held before Examiner Williams at Los Angeles, after due notice thereof had been given so that all interested parties might appear and be heard.

Applicant herein is a public utility which for several years has supplied water to a large number of consumers in and in the vicinity of the section of the City of Los Angeles known as Belvedere and is, therefore, financially able to extend its water

distributing facilities and render adequate service throughout the area covered by its franchise rights granted in Ordinances No. 1107 and No. 1468 (New Series), County of Los Angeles. No one protested against the granting of this application and, as there is no other public utility water system now furnishing water within the territory covered by the above franchises, it appears that the request should be granted.

ORDER

Belvedere Water Corporation having made application as entitled above, a public hearing having been held thereon, the matter having been submitted and the Commission being now fully advised in the premises,

The Railroad Commission of the State of California hereby declares that public convenience and necessity require and will require that Belvedere Water Corporation operate a water system for the purpose of supplying water to consumers residing in the area as more particularly described in Ordinance No. 1107 (New Series) and Ordinance No. 1468 (New Series), County of Los Angeles.

The authority granted herein shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 29 day of

Commissioners.