Decision No. 21886

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Investigation upon the Commission's own motion into the filing by public utilities of certain information relating to dams.

)Case No. 2774

P. M. Downing and C.P. Cutten, for Pacific Gas & Electric Company

George Elliott, for Spring Valley Water Co.

J. W. Ford, for San Jose Water Works

W. H. Spalding, for Great Western Power Co.

Walter L. Huber, for Southern Sierras Power Co.

DECOTO, Commissioner:

OPINION

On October 28, 1929, an order was issued on the Commission's own motion instituting an investigation into the matter of the filing by public utilities of certain information relating to dams. A copy of the proposed general order having been submitted to the utilities a public hearing was held on December 3, 1929. A full consideration of the record adduced justifies, in my opinion, the issuance of this general order, amended in accordance with the findings herein. The following form of order is recommended.

ORDER

An investigation having been instituted on the Commission's own motion as to the filing by public utilities of certain information relating to dams, a public hearing having been held and the

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matter now being under submission,

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HEREBY FINDS AS A FACT that the provisions of the general order set out below are just and reasonable, and therefore

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following regulation shall be in force and effect, and shall be known as General Order No. 50-B:

"General Order No. 50-B

Approved December 7, 1929 - Effective January 7, 1930.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all public utilities shall file with the Railroad Commission the final plans and specifications covering any construction, reconstruction, alteration or repair of dams within thirty (30) days after their approval by the State Engineer.

This order shall become effective thirty (30) mays from and after the date hereof, at which time General Orders No. 50 and 50-A shall be revoked and of no further force and effect.

Approved and dated at San Francisco, California, this this 7th day of December , 1929.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

H. G. Mathewson, Secretary."

The foregoing opinion and order is hereby approved and ordered filed as the opinion and order of the Railroad Commission of the State of California.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 7 day
December, 1929.

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Commissioners