

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 23164.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application  
 of Southern Counties Gas Company of  
 California, a corporation, for a  
 certificate of public convenience  
 and necessity under Section 50 of  
 the Public Utilities Act, for author-  
 ity to extend its facilities and to  
 exercise franchise acquired.

Application No. 16605.

BY THE COMMISSION:

SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

In its Decision No. 22711, dated July 25, 1930, the Commission granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to Southern Counties Gas Company of California authorizing applicant to construct plants and systems and serve liquified hydrocarbon gas to residents within certain specified areas in the County of Los Angeles and to exercise the rights and privileges granted to it under Ordinance No. 1797 (new series) of the County of Los Angeles, subject to certain conditions, among which were the following

- "(1) That applicant shall file, on or before August 31, 1930, a stipulation duly executed upon the authority of its Board of Directors, agreeing that applicant, its successors or assigns, will never claim before the Railroad Commission or any other body or court a value for such franchise in excess of the actual cost thereof.
- "(2) That applicant shall file with this Commission, on or before August 31, 1930, copies of all

contracts under which applicant will receive or purchase the liquid gas which it proposes to use in this service.

- "(3) That applicant shall file with this Commission, and apply to all billings for gas in the territory covered by this order, the following initial rates for domestic, commercial and general gas service:

Service Charge per Meter per Month, \$1.25

Commodity Charge to be Added to Service Charge:

First 100 Lbs. per Meter per Mo.	\$ .04 per lb.
Next 400 " " " " "	.03 " "
All Over 500 " " " " "	.025 " "

Minimum Charge: In case of seasonal service to summer cabins, minimum service charge will be \$7.50 per year.

- "(4) That applicant shall, on or before December 31, 1930, begin the service of gas to residents within the communities herein authorized."

In its Decision No. 22940, dated October 3, 1930, the Commission extended the time limit for compliance with Condition (2) above from August 31, 1930, to December 1, 1930.

Southern Counties Gas Company of California now having satisfactorily complied with all of the above conditions,

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HEREBY ORDERS AND DECLARES that a certificate of public convenience and necessity be and the same is hereby granted to Southern Counties Gas Company of California authorizing applicant to construct the plants and systems and exercise the rights and privileges granted to it under Ordinance No. 1797 (new series) of the County of Los Angeles, in the manner and to the extent set

forth in the Commission's Decision No. 22711.

The authority herein granted shall be effective from and after the date of this order.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 12th day of December, 1930.

C. C. Seaver  
Edwin S. Smith  
Leon A. Whiteley  
David S. Smith  
M. J. [unclear]  
 Commissioners.