BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, a corporation, for an order of the Railroad Commission of the State of California approving a certain agree—) ment entered into by and between applicant and the HAMMOND & LITTLE RIVER REDWOOD CO., LTD., dated October 19, 1931 and relating to electric service.

Application No. 17780

BY THE COMMISSION:

## OPINION and OFFER

This is an application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, for an order approving a certain agreement dated October 19, 1931, made and entered into by and between applicant and Hammond & Little River Redwood Company, Ltd., a Delaware corporation. A copy of this agreement, marked Exhibit "A," is attached to and made a part of the application.

Under the terms and conditions, and during the term specified in the aforesaid agreement, applicant has agreed to sell and deliver to Hammond Company such quantity of applicant's available supply of electric energy (after meeting the requirements of applicant's regular consumers in the City of Eureka and in the counties of Humboldt and Trinity, State of California) as Hammond Company may require to supply its needs when its own power generating plant at Samoa, Humboldt County, is shut down

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or interrupted in consequence of an emergency; it being provided in said agreement that the same shall become effective as soon as, but not before, it shall have been approved by the Railroad Commission of the State of California and that said agreement shall continue in force and effect during such period of time as that certain power purchase agreement dated October 19, 1931, between applicant and said Hammond Company providing for the sale of electric energy by Hammond Company to applicant shall remain in force and effect, the term specified in said last mentioned agreement being one (1) year from and after the date thereof, and thereafter until terminated by thirty (30) days written notice given by either party.

Under Said ACTROMENT All Glectric energy sold to and purchased by Hammond Company shall be paid for at the rate of five mills (50.005) per kilowatt hour and shall be three (3) phase, sixty (60) cycle, twenty-three hundred (2300) volt power (said conditions and rate being identical with those contained in the above mentioned power purchase agreement under which Hammond Company sells power to applicant).

The Commission is of the opinion that said agreement is fair to all parties and that a public hearing in the matter is not necessary, and good cause appearing, therefore

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above mentioned agreement between Facific Gas and Electric Company and Hammond & Little River Redwood Company Ltd., be and the same is hereby approved.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this \_\_/7 day of December, 1931.

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