

73.  
Decision No. 5695

ORIGINAL

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application )  
of J. G. PETERS for an Order of )  
the Railroad Commission author- )  
izing him to increase rates for )  
Electricity sold by him to his )  
Consumers. )

Application  
No. 3943.

BY THE COMMISSION.

ORDER

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WHEREAS J. G. Peters, operating an elec-  
tric distribution system serving the Towns of Dutch  
Flat and Alta, and who contemplates selling elec-  
tricity to the public in the Town of Gold Run, all  
in Placer County, California, for lighting and small  
power service, has applied to this Commission for

authority to increase rates for electricity sold by him to his consumers by the charging of a meter rate in place of the existing flat rate, and

WHEREAS the selling of electric energy under meter rates rather than flat rates is essential to the ultimate attainment of effective results pursuant to the policy of conservation, which is being urged by our National Government, and

WHEREAS the rates applied for, as herein set forth, appear to be reasonable under present conditions of operation for the service rendered by applicant,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant, J. G. Peters, be, and he is hereby authorized, to discontinue the charge of flat rates for electric service and to charge and collect for electric energy sold, based on all regular meter readings taken on and after August 26th, 1918, the following rates:-

Schedule for Commercial  
And Residence Lighting and Small Power Service,  
Based on Monthly Consumption per Meter.

10¢ per k.w.h. for the first 30 k.w.h. per month.  
6¢ per k.w.h. for all over 30 k.w.h. per month.

Minimum Monthly Charge \$1.25 per Meter.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16<sup>th</sup> -  
day of August, 1918.

Edwin O. Edgerton  
H. S. Leonard  
Frank R. Devlin  
COMMISSIONERS