Decision No. 9515

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of) SOUTHERN COUNTIES GAS COMPANY OF) CALIFORNIA for authority to increase) its rates for artificial gas supplied) to the City of Santa Barbara and un-) incorporated communities in the County) of Santa Barbara. RIGINAL

Application No. 5234

BY THE COMMISSION:

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

WEEREAS, Southern Counties Gas Company of California has filed with this Commission, in accordance with Decision No. 9127 in the above entitled matter, a stipulation setting forth that effective September 1st, 1921 Southern Counties Gas Company of California is able to purchase oil of a satisfactory quality at an average price of \$2.09 per barrel at its gas plant at Santa Barbara; and

WHEREAS, in the Commission's Decision No. 9127 it was specified relative to the rates therein:

> "Upon the approval of the Railroad Commission of the State of California the above rates are subject to increase or decrease on the basis of 2.6¢ per 1000 cu.ft. for each 10 cents increase or decrease respectively in the cost of oil above or below the base cost of oil, which base cost herein is \$2.54 per barrel at the Company's plant. Change to be to the nearest cent."

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WHEREAS, in Decision No. 9359 in Application No. 5234, dated August 15th, 1921, the Commission ordered Southern Counties Gas Company of California to reduce its rates as set forth in Schedules Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in Decision No. 9127 six cents per thousand cubic feet for all meter readings taken on and after the third day of September, 1921,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the rates set forth in Schedules Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in Decision No. 9127 in Application No. 5234 be, and the same are, reduced an additional 6¢ per 1000 cubic feet, or a total of 12¢ per thousand cubic feet. effective for all meter readings taken on and after the first day of October, 1921.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Southern Counties Gas Company of California file with the Commission on or before October 1st, 1921 a revision of its schedules to comply with this Order.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this ______ day of September, 1921.

Commissioners.