

Decision No. 26127

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Investigation
on the Commission's own motion, into
the reasonableness of the rates, rules,
regulations, charges, classifications,
contracts, practices, service and op-
eration, or any of them, applicable to
natural gas service on the system of
PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY.

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BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND ORDER ON REHEARING

By Decision 25971 issued in the above matter on May 29, 1933, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company was ordered to "either cease to mix marsh and other natural gases in its deliveries to general consumers in the Sacramento and Stockton districts, or, until new rates are fixed under the above numbered proceeding, discount the bills of consumers in each such district using such mixed gas on the basis of the percent such mixed gas is less on the average for the month preceding the billing than the gas coming through the main lines of the Standard-Pacific Gas Lines, Incorporated." On June 13th a petition was filed by the Company asking a rehearing on said decision. Rehearing was granted and duly heard on June 29, 1933.

Upon further consideration of the record made in this matter with reference to the service of mixed gas in the Sacramento and Stockton districts, the Commission is of the opinion and finds as a fact that the said practice of mixing local well or marsh gas with natural gas coming through the

main lines of the Standard-Pacific Gas Lines, Inc. and the service of such gas to its general consumers in the Sacramento and Stockton districts constitutes an unjust and unreasonable discrimination. The opinion and order of the Commission issued in this matter, Decision 25971, will be affirmed except insofar as it may be inconsistent with this opinion and order and to that extent the former opinion and order is modified.

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision 25971 be and the same is hereby affirmed, except insofar as it may be inconsistent with this opinion and order, and to that extent, the former opinion and order is modified.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the Pacific Gas and Electric Company within ten (10) days from date shall elect which alternative afforded under Decision 25971 will be followed. Should it become necessary a supplemental order will be issued upon selection by the Company of its procedure.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 5th day of July 1933.

C. C. Seaver
Leon S. Lindsey
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COMMISSIONERS