Decision No. 27701.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for an order of the Railroad Commission of the State of California for an order approving a certain agreement entered into by and between applicant and YUBA CONSOLIDATED GOLD FIELDS, dated December 19, 1934.

Application No. 19771.



BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND ORDER

This is an application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, for an order approving a certain agreement, dated December 19, 1934, made and entered into by and between applicant and Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields. 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 Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields and the latter has agreed to purchase from the former all of the electric energy which said Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields shall require for the operation of its electrical machinery and apparatus and in the conduct of its dredging operations at a location northeast of Rio Bonito, County of Butte, State of California. It is 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; that said agreement shall continue in force until the expiration of the term of three (3) years from and after the 19th day of December, 1934 and thereafter as long as the Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields shall carry on its dredging operations at said location.

Under the said agreement of December 19, 1934, the charges to be paid to applicant by Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields for three (3) phase, sixty (60) cycle alternating current electric energy, metered at four thousand (4,000) volts, shall be in accordance with the charges set forth in Schedule No. P-5 (Rate 1), a copy of which is included and made a part of the agreement marked Exhibit "A" attached to the application. Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields, in the event that service is taken at sixty thousand (60,000) volts, shall be charged in accordance with Schedule P-5 (Rate B), or such other applicable schedule as may be legally established.

Applicant alleges that, if service is required at four thousand (4,000) volts, it will be under the necessity of expending approximately \$30,000. in substation facilities. The agreement, therefore, further provides that Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields shall either purchase such substation facilities or pay applicant the actual cost of installation and removal thereof, plus ten (10) per cent, in the event sixty thousand (60,000) volt service is subsequently required within the three (3) year period from and after said substation facilities are installed.

The Commission is of the opinion that said agreement is in the interest of both parties and that a public hearing in the matter is not necessary, and good cause appearing therefor,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above mentioned agreement between Pacific Cas and Electric Company and Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields, dated December 19, 1934, be and the

same is hereby approved.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 200 day of January, 1935.

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Commissioners.