Decision No. 29088

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of

TURN BACK CREEK LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, a corporation,

to place in effect certain increases and certain decreases in its rates and certain changes in its rules and regulations.

Application No. 20722.

BY THE COMMISSION:

## OBINION

The TURN BACK CREEK LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, a corporation, has filed with the Commission revised sheets as follows:

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Table of Contents	32-E
Service	26-E
Schedule D-1 Domestic Service	27 <b>-</b> E 28 <b>-</b> E
Schedule P-1 General Power Service	29-E
Terms and Conditions	30-E - 31-E

It is requested that these revised schedules be made effective on September 1, 1936, on less than the regular thirty days' notice.

The justification for the proposed new filing is that proposed new schedules of rates will place the domestic and commercial consumers of applicant substantially on a rate parity with similar classes of consumers of other utilities in adjacent territory and will, except as hereafter stated, result in substantial decreases in rates to such consumers of applicant.

The proposed new rates will cause certain increases, which applicant represents are of a technical rather than of an actual nature. Such increases are represented to be:

- (a) For small domestic and commercial lighting consumers using 7 to 15 Kwh. in any month, the maximum increase is approximately 20¢ a month.
- (b) For heating and cooking consumers the change in the minimum requirement is but a possible technical increase as no existing consumers will be affected under their present installations.
- (c) For general power consumers, the omission of one power block will affect no present consumers as none are large enough to avail themselves of the block withdrawn.

It is estimated that the revised schedulos will effect a saving in excess of 10% or approximately \$1600 per annum. We are of the opinion that in so far as these schedules may result in increased rates such increases are justified.

## ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that TURN BACK CREEK LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY be and it is hereby authorized to publish on less than thirty days' notice, effective September 1, 1936, revised schedules of rates and rules and regulations for the service of electricity, being C.R.C. Nos. 32 E, 26 E, 27 E, 28 E, 29 E, 30 E, 31 E, III and III, Managed August 20, 1936 under Advice No. 5.

of <u>August</u>, 1936.

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