

Decision No. 39278

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN COUNTIES GAS COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA for an order authorizing it to defer increase in its gas rates as a result of 25 cents per barrel increase in posted price of fuel oil effective April 1, 1943:

Application No: 25579

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, etc.:

Application No. 25580

In the matter of the application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, etc.:

Application No. 25581

In the Matter of the Application of COAST COUNTIES GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, etc.

Application No. 25583
Application No. 27382

ORIGINAL

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

Good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that section (a) of paragraph (1.) of the order in Decision No. 38932 is hereby amended to read as follows:

a. That Pacific Gas & Electric Company, Coast Counties Gas & Electric Company, Southern Counties Gas Company of California and Southern California Gas Company are hereby authorized to defer any adjustment or increase in gas rates or charges resulting from, or required by, the provisions of the aforementioned utilities' filed tariff schedules or special contracts, that are affected as a result of the 25¢ per barrel increase in the posted price of fuel oil which became effective April 1, 1943, and also as to the 15¢ per barrel increase in the posted price of fuel oil which became effective on March 20 and/or March 21, 1946; provided that such period of deferment shall not be longer than sixty (60) days after the termination of the time that RMPR 436, governing the maximum prices for crude petroleum and natural petroleum gases of the Office of Price Administration, shall remain legally in full force and effect; and provided further, that this

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Commission may be appropriate order, change or modify
the authorization herein made, as future conditions may
dictate and require..

This Order shall become effective immediately.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this thirtieth day of July, 1946.

Justice F. Craves
Frank Clark
Ernest Fayell
Harold P. Kuls
Commissioners