

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 47456

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, a )  
corporation, for an Order of the Public )  
Utilities Commission of the State of )  
California authorizing it to carry out )  
the terms of an agreement with ST. FRANCIS )  
HOSPITAL OF LYNNWOOD, a corporation, dated )  
November 20, 1951. )

Application No. 33455

OPINION AND ORDER

In this application Southern California Edison Company requests authority to carry out the terms of an agreement dated November 20, 1951, with St. Francis Hospital of Lynwood. Said agreement provides for the installation, operation and maintenance by Edison of an alternate service line supply to said hospital and requires payment by St. Francis of installation and removal costs if said alternate line service is abandoned within five years, and payment of a monthly charge for said alternate line service. A copy of the agreement is attached to the application and marked "Exhibit A".

The agreement states that St. Francis Hospital of Lynwood has requested Edison to install said alternate line. Said hospital's plant is located at 3630 Imperial Highway, Lynwood. The alternate line will be constructed to supply dual-line service through the Edison-owned-and-operated substation located on the hospital's property. Edison's additional investment to provide the alternate line service is estimated to be \$3,446. The agreement provides for payment by said hospital of a monthly sum equal to one and one-quarter per cent (1 $\frac{1}{4}$ %) of the added investment necessary to render said alternate service. The exact amount of Edison's investment is to be determined when final cost figures are available. The agreement further provides that should the hospital abandon said alternate service line at any time during the five years following the date

construction of the line is commenced, the hospital shall thereupon pay to Edison the sum of \$4,394, or a proportionate amount thereof in case of partial construction of said line. Said \$4,394, or said proportional amount, shall be deemed to be the installation and removal cost of said alternate service line. The term of said agreement is for a period of five years from the date of availability of service thereunder and from year to year thereafter or until such time as the agreement covering supply of electric service to hospital's plant is terminated, subject however to the right of either party to terminate the agreement for alternate line service upon six months' written notice.

In its application Edison states that the hospital desires to secure a higher degree of continuity of service than is possible with the single-line service now being used and that the terms and conditions set forth in the agreement are fair, just, and reasonable.

The agreement contains provisions that it shall not become effective until approved by the Commission and that it shall be subject at all times to change or modification by this Commission in the exercise of its jurisdiction.

The Commission having considered the above-entitled application and being of the opinion that the request of applicant should be granted and that a public hearing thereon is not necessary,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Southern California Edison Company be and it is authorized to carry out the terms and conditions of the written agreement dated November 20, 1951 with St. Francis Hospital of Lynwood and to render the service described therein under the terms, charges and conditions stated therein.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Southern California Edison Company shall file with this Commission a statement showing the date on which service thereunder is established and shall file a statement promptly after termination,

