

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 48078

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN COUNTIES GAS COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA for a general increase in gas rates under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code.

Application No. 33699

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY for a general increase in gas rates under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code.

Application No. 33700

ORDER DENYING REHEARING

and

REOPENING FOR FURTHER HEARING

California Manufacturers Association having filed petitions for rehearing of Decision No. 47991 in Application No. 33699 and Decision No. 47992 in Application No. 33700, the Commission having considered said petitions and each of the allegations therein, and being of the opinion that no good cause has been shown for the granting of rehearing,

IT IS ORDERED that said petitions for rehearing are hereby denied.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Applications 33699 and 33700 are hereby reopened for further hearing, in order to reconsider the question of appropriate assessment of demand component costs and to determine whether the offset rates authorized by Decisions 47991 and 47992 should be altered as a result of such reconsideration. Such

further hearing shall be had before such Commissioner or Examiner, and at such time and place, as may hereafter be designated.

The Secretary is directed to cause copies of this order to be served upon all parties and to cause notice of time and place of such further hearing to be served upon said parties at least ten (10) days prior to the date of such further hearing.

Dated, San Francisco, California, this 19th day of December, 1952.

A. J. [Signature]
President

James J. [Signature]

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Peter [Signature]
Commissioners