Decision No. 48870

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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. 33341

SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

In Decision No. 48833, Application No. 33341, Schedule No. G-55, Steam Electric Generating Plant - Surplus Natural Gas Service is set forth on Sheets Nos. 20 and 21 of Exhibit A.

After further consideration, the Commission is of the opinion that the optional provision granting curtailment parity for the first 300,000 Mcf or less of gas per month contained in said Schedule No. G-55 be deleted in order to more nearly conform to effective filed tariffs and contracts on file with this Commission by applicant.

It further appears that Rate Areas Nos. 20 and 21 were inadvertently included under territory of Schedule No. G-40, Firm Industrial Natural Gas Service, and should be deleted.

GOOD CAUSE APPEARING IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Exhibit A of the order in Decision No. 48833 issued July 14, 1953, be amended to:

- Delete Sheets Nos. 20 and 21 and substitute in lieu thereof Schedule No. G-55, Steam Electric Generating Plant - Surplus Natural Gas Service, attached to this order, and
- 2. Delete reference to Rate Areas Nos. 20 and 21 in Schedule No. G-40, Firm Industrial Natural Gas Service.

In all other respects, Decision No. 48833 shall remain in full force and effect.

The effective date of this order shall be the same as the effective date of said Decision No. 48833.

Dated at San Hamman, California, this 28

day of will.

President

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Commissioners

Schedule No. G-55

STEAM ELECTRIC GENERATING PLANT - SURPLUS NATURAL GAS SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Same as C.P.U.C. Sheet No. 2076-G filed May 8, 1953.

TERRITORY

Within the Rate Areas of:

3 Harbor Division 3.1 Terminal Island 8 Orange County

RATES

Commodity Charge:

Base Current Rates
Rate Minimum Maximum Effective

For all gas delivered to customer during any one calendar month, per Mcf

25.000¢ 18.820¢ 25.470¢ 25.000¢

Base Rates

The base rates are established for a posted price of fuel oil of \$1.55 per barrel.

Current Minimum and Maximum Rates

The effective rate in no event shall be higher than 9.65¢ per Mcf above, nor lower than 3¢ per Mcf above a price per Mcf equal to the commodity price per Mcf paid by the Company to the El Paso Natural Gas Company for gas delivered at Blythe during such calendar month (adjusted to a pressure base of 14.73 psi absolute). Such commodity price is 15.82¢ per Mcf effective January 1, 1953.

Effective Rate

The effective rate set forth above is predicated on the posted price of fuel oil, in accordance with Special Condition No. 1 below, and is limited by the current minimum and maximum rates. The effective rate shall be 1.0¢ per Mcf below the effective rate per Mcf of the lowest block of Schedule No. G-50 or substitute therefor.

Remainder of schedule same as C.F.U.C. Sheets Nos. 2065-G, filed March 31, 1953, and 2077-G filed May 8, 1953.