

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 57580

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investigation )	
on the Commission's own motion of :	
the adoption of the Uniform System )	
of Accounts for Electrical :	Case No. 4230
Corporations prescribed by the )	
Federal Power Commission for :	
public utilities and licensees. )	
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FOURTH SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

WHEREAS, the Commission, after hearings, has prescribed uniform systems of accounts for the several classes of public utilities operating under its jurisdiction, and

WHEREAS, it appears to be necessary and desirable for the Commission in the exercise of its regulatory functions to clarify and expand its said systems with respect to customers' deposits to establish credit, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. Account 227 of the Uniform System of Accounts for Electrical Corporations, effective January 1, 1938, prescribed by Decision No. 30269, dated October 25, 1937, is amended to read as follows:

"227. Customers' Deposits

A. This account shall include all amounts deposited with the utility by customers as security for the payment of bills.

B. Unclaimed deposits that may lawfully be written off as unrefundable, because of failure to locate the rightful owner or for some other reason, shall be credited to Account 254, Reserve for Uncollectible Accounts, upon the expiration of one year after service has been discontinued."

2. This fourth supplemental order will become effective on January 1, 1959.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 10th day of November, 1958.

E. Z. Fox  
President  
John E. Mitchell  
Robert A. Kerner  
William J. Dool  
Theodore H. Kerner  
Commissioners