

ORIGINALDecision No. 60937

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
 BURWOOD WATER COMPANY, a Corporation,
 For an Order authorizing the issue of
 stock, For a Certificate of Public
 Convenience and Necessity to acquire
 and maintain a water system, and for
 an order fixing water rates.

Application No. 39655

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

By petition filed August 12, 1960, Burwood Water Company requested Commission authorization for the abandonment of Well No. 2 described in the opinion and referred to in ordering paragraph 7 of Decision No. 58894, dated August 18, 1959 herein and, further, that it be granted an extension of time of one year within which to explore for and drill a standby well for its water system.

Ordering paragraph 7 of said Decision No. 58894 provides in part as follows:

"7. That applicant shall, prior to the date service is first rendered under the rates and rules authorized herein, install a permanent connection to Well No. 2 to provide a standby supply for its water system. ..."

Applicant alleges that it has expended, to no avail, a substantial amount of money in an effort to bring its Well No. 2 into a condition which would enable it to obtain a water supply permit from the Health Department of Ventura County. Applicant further alleges that said well has practically dried up and should be abandoned. In lieu of using Well No. 2, applicant now desires to drill an additional well which it intends to operate as a standby supply for its water system.

