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Decision No. _____

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 in-)
crease in gas rates under)
Section 454 of the Public Utili-)
ties Code.)

Application No. 41859
(First Supplemental)
Filed December 18, 1963

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

Following the issuance of Decision No. 66508 on December 20, 1963, under the above-entitled application, a problem to the utility was discovered in its adapting the issuance of bills to the time requirements of the ordering paragraphs and filing of the contingency clause as worded in Appendix B of said order. The problem may be alleviated by changing the earliest filing date for the required tariff revisions from twenty days after December 20, 1963 to December 27, 1963 and providing for review of rate reductions after January 1, 1969.

Good cause appearing; therefore,

IT IS ORDERED as follows:

1. Southern Counties Gas Company of California is authorized and directed to file the revised schedule of rates required by ordering paragraph 1 of Decision No. 66508 on December 27, 1963 or within twenty days thereafter upon not less than five days' notice to this Commission and to the public.

2. Appendix B is revised as follows:

- a. Insert after "to" in the next to last line "the earlier of (1) January 1, 1969 or (2)".
- b. Add as last sentence "The matter of such rate reductions relating to Article V after January 1, 1969 will be subject to review between the Company and the Commission."

3. In all other respects said Decision No. 66508 shall remain in full force and effect.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 27th day of December, 1963.

William W. Beaudet
President
Edward G. [unclear]
George L. Hoover
Frederick B. Holcroft

Commissioners

Commissioner Peter E. Mitchell, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.