

customer's monthly bill. Exhibit No. 1 also shows that, in the opinion of the Commission staff, (1) the proposed rate increases will offset the increased expenses resulting from the elimination of the investment tax credit, (2) the earnings which will be produced under the conditions set forth in the application do not exceed the previously authorized rate of return on rate base for applicant's operations in the eleven districts, (3) applicant's computations are reasonable, and (4) the proposed rate increase should be authorized.

Findings and Conclusion

The Commission finds that:

1. Applicant is in need of increased revenues to offset increases in federal income taxes resulting from revocation of the investment tax credit.

2. Applicant's estimates of rate increases required to offset the future effect of the change in the tax laws is reasonable.

3. The increases in rates and charges authorized herein are justified; the rates and charges authorized herein are reasonable; and the present rates and charges, insofar as they differ from those prescribed herein, are for the future unjust and unreasonable.

A public hearing is not necessary.

The Commission concludes that the rates requested in the application should be granted and that the order herein should be effective immediately.

IT IS ORDERED that, after the effective date of this order, applicant California Water Service Company is authorized to file the revised rate schedules attached to this order as Appendix A. Such filing shall comply with General Order No. 96-A. The effective date of the revised schedules shall be four days after the date of filing. The revised schedules shall apply only to service rendered on and after the effective date thereof.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 7th day of APRIL, 1970.

William S. Brown
President

[Signature]

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Vernon L. Stinger
Commissioners

Schedule No. BC-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

The communities of Atherton, Menlo Park, Portola Valley, Woodside, and vicinity, San Mateo County.

RATES

| Service Charge: | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.89 | (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 3.19 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 4.29 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 5.99 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 7.59 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 14.09 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 19.09 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 32.09 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 47.09 | (I) |

Quantity Rate:

For all water delivered, per 100 cu. ft. . \$ 0.329

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.12 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. CH-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Within and adjacent to the City of Chico, Butte County.

RATES

| Service Charge: | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.60 | (I) | |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 2.85 | | |
| For 1-inch meter | 3.85 | | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 5.35 | | |
| For 2-inch meter | 6.85 | | |
| For 3-inch meter | 12.60 | | |
| For 4-inch meter | 17.10 | | |
| For 6-inch meter | 28.10 | | |
| For 8-inch meter | 42.10 | | |
| For 10-inch meter | 52.10 | | (I) |

Quantity Rates:

For all water delivered, per 100 cu. ft.... \$ 0.09

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.44 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. CH-2

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all residential water service furnished on a flat rate basis.

TERRITORY

Within and adjacent to the City of Chico, Butte County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Service Connection</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|---|---|-----|
| 1. For a single family residential unit, including premises having the follow- ing lot areas: | | |
| Up to 6,000 sq. ft. | \$ 4.60 | (I) |
| From 6,001 to 10,000 sq. ft. | 5.35 | |
| From 10,001 to 16,000 sq. ft. | 6.25 | |
| From 16,001 to 25,000 sq. ft. | 7.95 | |
| a. For each additional single family residential unit on the same premises and served from the same service con- nection | 3.35 | (I) |

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

1. The above residential flat rates apply to service connections not larger than one inch in diameter.
2. All service not covered by the above classification will be furnished only on a metered basis.

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Schedule No. CH-2

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

SPECIAL CONDITIONS - Contd.

3. Meters may be installed at option of utility or customer for above classification, in which event service thereafter will be furnished only on the basis of Schedule No. CH-1, General Metered Service. When a meter is installed at option of customer, metered service must be continued for at least 12 months before service will again be furnished at flat rates.

4. While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.44 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

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Schedule No. EL-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

East Los Angeles, Commerce and vicinity, Los Angeles County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Service Charge: | | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 3.11 | (I) ----- (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 3.41 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 4.61 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 6.41 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 8.21 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 15.11 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 20.11 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 34.11 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 50.11 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 62.11 | |

Quantity Rates:

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| For the first 30,000 cu.ft., per 100 cu. ft. . | \$ 0.223 |
| For all over 30,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. . | 0.210 |

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge which is applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rates.

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Schedule No. EL-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

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SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.43 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. HR-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance and vicinity, Los Angeles County.

RATES

Service Charge:

| | <u>Per Meter</u> | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-----|
| | <u>Per Month</u> | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.73 | (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 2.98 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 4.03 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 5.58 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 7.13 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 13.13 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 17.63 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 29.13 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 44.13 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 54.13 | (I) |

Quantity Rate:

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| For all water delivered, per 100 cu. ft. | \$ 0.26 |
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The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.00 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

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Schedule No. MR-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Marysville and vicinity, Yuba County.

RATES

| Service Charge: | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.82 | (I) ----- (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 3.07 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 4.17 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 5.87 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 7.52 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 14.07 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 19.07 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 31.07 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 46.07 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 57.07 | |

Quantity Rate

For all water delivered, per 100 cu. ft. .. \$ 0.09

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rates.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.58 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. MR-2R

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all residential water service furnished on a flat rate basis.

TERRITORY

Marysville and vicinity, Yuba County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Service Connection</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|---|---|-----|
| 1. For a single-family residential unit, including premises having the following area: | | |
| 6,000 sq. ft. or less | \$4.57 | (I) |
| From 6,001 to 10,000 sq. ft..... | 5.32 | |
| From 10,001 to 16,000 sq. ft..... | 6.32 | |
| From 16,001 to 25,000 sq. ft. | 8.07 | |
| a. For each additional single-family residential unit on the same premises and served from the same service connection..... | 3.07 | (I) |

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

1. The above flat rates apply to service connections not larger than one inch in diameter.

2. All residential service not covered by the above classification will be furnished only on a metered basis.

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Schedule No. MR-2R

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Contd.)

3. Meters may be installed at option of utility or customer for above classification in which event service thereafter will be furnished only on the basis of Schedule No. MR-1, General Metered Service.

4. While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.58 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. OR-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Oroville and vicinity, Butte County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|---|--------------------------------------|-----|
| Service Charge: | | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$3.72 | (D) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 4.07 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 5.47 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 7.62 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 9.67 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 18.17 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 24.17 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 40.17 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 60.17 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 74.17 | |
| Quantity Rate: | | |
| For all water delivered, per 100 cu. ft. | \$ 0.175 | |

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.64 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. OR-2R

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Contd.)

3. Meters shall be installed if either the utility or customer so chooses for above classification, in which event service thereafter shall be furnished on the basis of Schedule No. OR-1, General Metered Service.

4. While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.64 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. SA-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Salinas and vicinity, Monterey County.

RATES

| Service Charge: | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 3.15 | (I) (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 3.45 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 4.65 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 6.45 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 8.25 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 15.15 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 20.15 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 34.15 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 50.15 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 62.15 | |

Quantity Rates:

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|---|---------|
| First 30,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. ... | \$ 0.18 |
| Over 30,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. ... | 0.145 |

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge which is applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rates.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.56 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. SA-11C
GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

The area of the former Crystal Water Company known as Crescent Park and vicinity located immediately west of North Main Street near the northerly boundary of the City of Salinas, Monterey County.

RATES

| Quantity Rates: | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-----|
| First 500 cu. ft. or less..... | \$ 3.15 | (I) |
| Next 500 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. | .40 | |
| Next 2,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. | .30 | |
| Over 3,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. | .20 | |
| Minimum Charge: | | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 3.15 | (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 4.40 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 6.65 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 11.15 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 16.15 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 30.15 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 45.15 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 80.15 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 150.15 | |

The Minimum Charge will entitle the customer to the quantity of water which that minimum charge will purchase at the Quantity Rates.

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Schedule No. SA-11C

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

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SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.56 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. SC-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

San Carlos and vicinity, San Mateo County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Service Charge: | | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.42 | (I) ----- (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 2.67 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 3.57 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 4.97 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 6.32 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 11.62 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 16.12 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 26.12 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 39.12 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 48.12 | |

Quantity Rate:

For all water delivered, per 100 cu. ft. \$ 0.364

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.10 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. SM-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

San Mateo and vicinity, San Mateo County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Service Charge: | | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.06 | (I) (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 2.26 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 3.06 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 4.26 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 5.46 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 10.06 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 14.06 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 23.06 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 34.06 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 42.06 | |

Quantity Rates:

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| For the first 30,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft.. | \$ 0.353 |
| For all over 30,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. | .318 |

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rates.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.11 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

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Schedule No. SS-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

South San Francisco and vicinity, San Mateo County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| Service Charge: | | |
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.35 | (I) (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 2.60 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 3.50 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 4.90 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 6.25 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 11.55 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 16.05 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 26.05 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 39.05 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 48.05 | |
| Quantity Rate: | | |
| For the first 50,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. | \$ 0.222 | |
| For all over 50,000 cu. ft., per 100 cu. ft. | 0.202 | |

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge applicable to all metered service and to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 0.91 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. VS-1

GENERAL METERED SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all metered water service.

TERRITORY

Visalia and vicinity, Tulare County.

RATES

| Service Charge: | <u>Per Meter</u> <u>Per Month</u> | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----|
| For 5/8 x 3/4-inch meter | \$ 2.26 | (I) |
| For 3/4-inch meter | 2.46 | |
| For 1-inch meter | 3.36 | |
| For 1 1/2-inch meter | 4.61 | |
| For 2-inch meter | 5.91 | |
| For 3-inch meter | 11.11 | |
| For 4-inch meter | 15.11 | |
| For 6-inch meter | 24.11 | |
| For 8-inch meter | 36.11 | |
| For 10-inch meter | 45.11 | (I) |

| Quantity Rate: | |
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| For all water delivered per 100 cu. ft. | \$ 0.117 |

The Service Charge is a readiness-to-serve charge to which is to be added the monthly charge computed at the Quantity Rate.

SPECIAL CONDITION

While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.26 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.

Schedule No. VS-2R

RESIDENTIAL FLAT RATE SERVICE

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all flat rate residential water service.

TERRITORY

Visalia and vicinity, Tulare County.

RATES

| | <u>Per Service Connection</u> | |
|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>Per Month</u> | |
| For a single-family residential unit, including premises having the following area: | | |
| 6,000 sq. ft., or less | \$ 3.76 | (I) |
| 6,001 to 10,000 sq. ft. | 4.96 | |
| 10,001 to 16,000 sq. ft. | 6.11 | |
| 16,001 to 25,000 sq. ft. | 7.66 | |
| For each additional single-family residential unit on the same premises and served from the same service connection | 3.11 | (I) |

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. The above flat rates apply to service connections not larger than one inch in diameter.
2. All service not covered by the above classifications shall be furnished only on a metered basis.
3. For service covered by the above classifications, if the utility or the customer so elects, a meter shall be installed and service provided under Schedule No. VS-1, General Metered Service.
4. While the 5 percent surcharge to Federal income tax is in effect, bills computed under the above tariff will be increased by 1.26 percent. At such time as the tax surcharge is effectively terminated or reduced, the above percentage shall be eliminated or reduced to the extent of the reduction in the tax surcharge.