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Decision No. 80356

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC)
COMPANY and the CITY OF REDDING for an)
order authorizing the former to sell and)
convey to the latter certain electric)
distribution facilities in accordance)
with the terms of an agreement dated)
March 24, 1972.)
(Electric)

Application No. 53429
(Filed June 28, 1972)

O P I N I O N

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) requests authority to sell and transfer to the City of Redding certain electric distribution facilities pursuant to an agreement dated March 24, 1972.

The City of Redding is the owner of an electric distribution system located within the corporate limits of the City of Redding. The property which PG&E proposes to convey is located in areas which have been annexed to and have become a part of the City of Redding. For the past twelve month period ending December 31, 1971, PG&E supplied one domestic customer and 4 commercial customers from the facilities involved. The agreed purchase price is \$44,728, which will be adjusted to provide for any additions and retirements that might occur subsequent to September 28, 1971, and prior to the conveyance of said facilities.

After consideration the Commission finds that the proposed transfer would not be adverse to the public interest and that public convenience and necessity no longer require electric service by PG&E in the area herein considered. A public hearing is not necessary.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Pacific Gas and Electric Company is authorized to sell and transfer the facilities, as set forth in Exhibit B attached to the application, to the City of Redding according to the terms set forth therein.

2. Concurrent with the commencement of service by the City of Redding, Pacific Gas and Electric Company shall stand relieved of its public utility obligations and may discontinue electric service in the area known as Twinview Annexation No. 3.

3. Within thirty days after the consummation of the transfer herein authorized, Pacific Gas and Electric Company shall notify the Commission, in writing, of that fact and within said period shall file with the Commission a true copy of the bill of sale or other instrument of transfer which may be executed to effect said transfer.

The effective date of this transfer shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 18
day of AUGUST, 1972.

Yvonne L. Stinson
President
William J. Quinn
John J. Quinn
Thomas J. Quinn
John J. Quinn
Commissioners