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In the Matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY (U 133-W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in its Wrightwood District.

Application 87-04-069 (Filed April 29, 1987)

ORDER MODIFYING DECISION 87-12-047

On December 17, 1987 we issued Decision (D.) 87-12-047 in Application (A.) 87-04-069, involving the request of Southern California Water Company (SCWC) to increase rates in its Wrightwood District.

SCWC has filed a Petition for Modification of the above decision. The utility notes that page 18 of the decision states as follows:

"On November 10 SCWC furnished the ALJ and parties, including Ms. Bell, with a comprehensive report on the Wrightwood water supply. This report has been received as Exhibit 44. It demonstrates that in connection with samples taken from four locations, two taken from a residence adjacent to Ms. Bell's residence, none contained excessive levels of impurities. In the circumstances, there appears to be no further necessity for special testing of SCWC's Wrightwood water. Accordingly, Conclusion of Law 5 and Ordering Paragraph 5 of the proposed decision will be excluded from our decision herein, and page 9 of the proposed decision modified to reflect the receipt of and results contained in Exhibit 44."

However, Conclusion of Law 5 and Ordering Paragraph 5 were inadvertently retained in D.87-12-047.

Also, SCWC notes that page 2 of Appendix A of D.87-12-047 includes Schedule AA-4, regarding the company's private fire

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service. SCWC points out that the rate groupings under the heading "Territory" in Schedule AA-4 were inadvertently altered so that its Barstow, Desert, and Pomona Valley Districts appear in the Rate B grouping, rather than Rate A where they belong. SCWC proposes that the three districts be returned to the Rate A Category, and that the effective date of this modification be December 17, 1987, the same date D.87-12-047 was effective.

Pindings of Fact

1. D.87-12-047 inadvertently included Conclusion of Law 5 and Ordering Paragraph 5, requiring a thorough analysis of SCWC's Wrightwood water.

2. Appendix A to D.87-12-047 inadvertently transferred SCWC's Barstow, Desert, and Pomona Valley Districts rates for private fire service from Rate Group A to Rate Group B.

Conclusions of Law

1. D.87-12-047 should be modified in accordance with SCWC's request.

2. The effective date of the rates for private fire service described above should be December 17, 1987.

3. This decision should be effective today.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Decision 87-12-047 is modified by deleting Conclusion of Law 5 and Ordering Paragraph 5, and by substituting Page 2 of Schedule AA-4.of Appendix A, attached, for the same page attached to the decision.

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2. The effective date of the rates shown in the attached schedule of rates is December 17, 1987.

This order is effective today. Dated <u>JAN 28 1988</u>, at San Francisco, California.

> STANLEY W. HULETT President DONALD VIAL FREDERICK R. DUDA G. MITCHELL WILK JOHN B. OHANIAN Commissioners

1 CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE COMMISSIONERS TODAY

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Southern California Water Co. All Districts

SCHEDULE NO. AA-4

PRIVATE FIRE SERVICE

Applicability

Applicable to all water service furnished to private fire systems and to private fire hydrants.

Territory

Rate A -	Applicable within the Arden-Cordova, Barstow,	(T)
	Calipatria-Niland, Clearlake, Desert, Los Osos,	(T)
	Metropolitan, Ojai, Pomona Valley, San Gabriel	(T)
	Valley, and Wrightwood Districts.	
Rate B -	Applicable within the Big Bear, Orange County, S	an
	Dimas, Santa Maria, and Simi Valley Districts.	

Rates

Per Month

For each inch of diameter of service connection \$4.00 \$3.00

(END OF APPENDIX A)