

Decision 88 02 017**ORIGINAL**

FEB 10 1988

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Investigation
on the Commission's motion into
implementing a rate design for
unbundled gas utility services
consistent with policies adopted
in Decision 86-03-057.

I.86-06-005
(Filed June 5, 1986)

R.86-06-006
(Filed June 5, 1986)

Application 87-01-033
(Filed January 20, 1987)

Application 87-01-037
(Filed January 27, 1987)

Application 87-04-040
(Filed April 20, 1987)

And Related Matters.

ORDER MODIFYING DECISION 87-12-039Findings of Fact

1. Decision (D.) 87-12-039 was issued December 9, 1987 in the above-referenced proceeding. The decision provided that Southern California Gas Company (SoCal), Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) should file revised rates and tariffs in the form of advice letters no later than February 1, 1988.

2. SDG&E filed a petition for modification of D.87-12-039 on January 26, 1988. The petition requests that the decision be modified in several respects. One such change is that the date by which SDG&E must file its revised tariffs be extended from February 1, 1988 to March 1, 1988.

3. SDG&E is a wholesale customer of SoCal and SoCal is its primary supplier of natural gas.

4. Historically, SDG&E has required 7-14 days after SoCal files wholesale rates before SDG&E is able to file its own rates because the SoCal rate is an important component of SDG&E's rates.
Conclusion of Law

D.87-12-039 should be modified to extend the revised tariff filing date from February 1, 1988 to March 1, 1988.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Conclusion of Law 14 on page 131 of D.87-12-039 is modified by substituting the following in place of the last sentence:

The advice letters of PG&E and SoCal shall be filed by February 1, 1988; SDG&E's by March 1, 1988.

2. Ordering Paragraph 2 on page 132 of D.87-12-039 is modified by substituting the following in place of the first two sentences:

2. The above filings shall be made in the form of advice letters. The filings of PG&E and SoCal shall be made by February 1, 1988; SDG&E's by March 1, 1988.

3. Consideration of the remaining subjects raised by SDG&E's petition for modification is deferred until further order of the Commission.

This order is effective today.

Dated FEB 10 1988, at San Francisco, California.

STANLEY W. HULETT
President
DONALD VIAL
FREDERICK R. DUDA
G. MITCHELL WILK
Commissioners

Commissioner John B. O'Hanlon, being necessarily absent, did not participate. CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE COMMISSIONERS TODAY.

Victor Weitzer
Victor Weitzer, Executive Director