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Decision 90-12-073 December 19, 1990

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY )  
for Authority to Sell the Garden )  
State Generating Facility to the )  
Garden State Paper Company, Inc. )

**ORIGINAL**  
Application 85-01-013  
(Filed January 8, 1985)

FINAL OPINION

Statement of Facts

By an Interim Decision (D.) 85-04-074 in the captioned case, the Commission in 1985 authorized Southern California Edison Company (Edison) to sell to Garden State Paper Company, Inc. (Garden State) its electric generating system constructed in 1966 on Garden State's Pomona newspaper recycling plant site.

The Interim Decision, while authorizing the sale and transfer, also provided that Edison record the pre-tax capital gain derived from the transaction in a suspense account until further Commission order.

However, in 1987 during Edison's general rate proceeding (Application (A.) 86-12-047), consolidated with the Commission's investigation into Edison's rates, charges, and practices (I.87-01-017) (consolidated for decision in D.87-12-066 issued December 22, 1987), the Commission's Public Staff Division (PSD) proposed adding the gains on certain Edison property sales, including the Garden State sale gain, to Edison's original estimates of other operating income. After negotiations, Edison acceded to PSD and the gain at issue here was merged into other operating revenues.

Discussion

The gain having been disposed of in D.87-12-066, the issue is moot and the proceeding in A.85-01-013 should be closed.

Finding of Fact

The gain disposition issue left open in Interim Decision 85-04-074 was disposed of in D.87-12-066.

Conclusion of Law

A.85-01-013 should be closed.

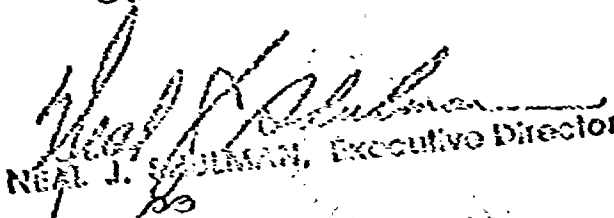
FINAL ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that Application 85-01-013 is closed effective 30 days from today.

Dated December 19, 1990, at San Francisco, California.

G. MITCHELL WILK  
President  
FREDERICK R. DUDA  
STANLEY W. HULETT  
JOHN B. OHANIAN  
PATRICIA M. ECKERT  
Commissioners

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

  
NEAL J. SULMAN, Executive Director