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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority, among other things, to increase its rates and charges for electric and gas service.

Application 60157³
(Filed December 23, 1980)

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(Electric and Gas)

Application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority, among other things, to increase its rates and charges for electric service.

Application 58545
(Filed December 26, 1978)

(Electric)

Application of PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority, among other things, to increase its rates and charges for gas service.

Application 58546
(Filed December 26, 1978)

(Gas)

ORDER FURTHER MODIFYING APPENDIX G TO DECISION (D.) 93887

By D.93887 we ordered Pacific Gas and Electric Co. (PG&E) to mail its customers a bill insert explaining where the current utility dollar goes. (Appendix G to D.93887.) By D.82-03-047 we modified Appendix G to add the following language:

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"This message is inserted in your bill by order of the California Public Utilities Commission."

Upon further consideration and with a view of making PG&E's bill insert consistent with bill inserts already being mailed by other California utilities, we are of the opinion that Appendix G to D.93887 should be further modified. Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that

Appendix G to D.93887 is modified to read in full as follows:

"This message is inserted in your bill by order of the California Public Utilities Commission.

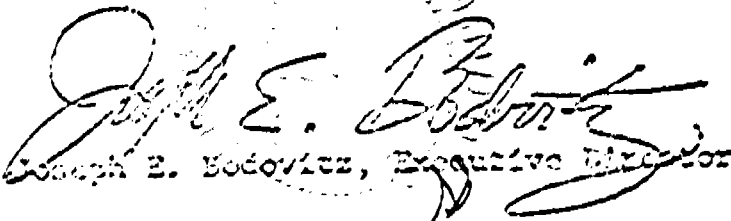
One item of expense included in the rate increase recently granted to PG&E by the Public Utilities Commission, amounting to \$177.4 million dollars, was attributable to President Reagan's Economic Recovery Tax Act of 1981, which requires the Public Utilities Commission to charge ratepayers for the expense of taxes which are not now being paid to the Federal Government and which may never be paid. This expense may increase in the future."

This order is effective today.

Dated MAR 16 1982 at San Francisco, California.

JOHN E. BRYSON
President
RICHARD D. GRAVELLE
LEONARD M. GRIMES, JR.
VICTOR CALVO
PRISCILLA C. CREW
Commissioners

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


Joseph E. Bodovitz, Executive Director