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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Investigation on the Commission's)
own motion into the tariff)
schedules, rates, rules, charges,)
operations, practices, contracts,)
service, and aesthetics and)
economics of facilities of all)
electric and communication)
public utilities in the State of)
California.)

Case 8209
(Filed June 22, 1965;
reopened May 22, 1979)

ORDER DENYING PETITION TO REOPEN

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) has filed a petition to reopen Case (C.) 8209. We have considered each and every allegation in the petition and do not find sufficient cause to reopen C.8209. PG&E will have an opportunity to address the economics of the underground conversion program in the hearings scheduled for Application (A.) 60809. A second reopening of C.8209 is not justified.

We stand by our recent decision, Decision (D.) 82-01-18, and reaffirm our commitment to a progressive underground conversion program in California. Although we are allowing PG&E to argue for a reduction of the program in the A.60809 hearings, suspension or termination of the entire underground conversion program will not be considered. The program, as modified by D.82-01-18, will be continued.

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Reopen Case 8209 is denied.

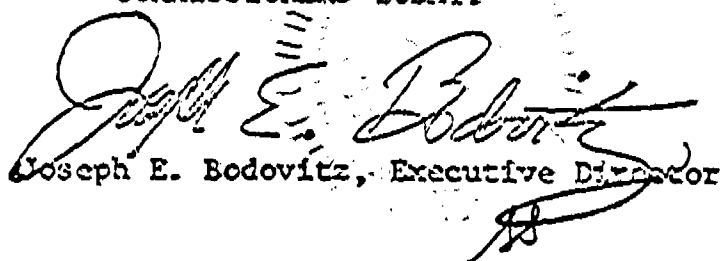
This order becomes effective 30 days from today.

Dated JUL 21 1982, at San Francisco, California.

JOHN E. BRYSON
President
RICHARD D. GRAVELLE
VICTOR CALVO
PRISCILLA C. CREW
Commissioners

Commissioner Leonard M. Grimes, Jr.,
being necessarily absent, did not
participate.

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


Joseph E. Bodovitz, Executive Director