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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of the Southern)
 California Edison Company to)
 modify Decision 92549 to change) A. 83-05-46
 the dates for submittal of) (Filed May 23, 1983)
 certain studies.)
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ORDER MODIFYING DECISION

Southern California Edison Company ("Edison") requests the Commission to modify Ordering Paragraphs 2 and 5 of Decision No. 92549, dated December 30, 1980 ("Decision").

Ordering Paragraph 2 of the Decision directed Edison to:

"...submit by June 15, 1981, and annually thereafter, a statement of electric conservation potential for its service area..."

Ordering Paragraph 5 of the Decision stated that:

"By October 15, 1981, and annually thereafter, Edison shall submit a statement of goals for achieving, by 1986, market saturation of all currently cost-effective conservation potential."

In response to these two paragraphs, Edison submitted studies of conservation potential and goals in June and October of 1981, respectively.

Edison now requests that these two studies now be filed jointly on December 1 of each year coincident with the subsequent year Conservation/Load Management Plan ("Plan") which is currently filed annually on December 1. The Plan is submitted in accordance with Decision No. 86501, dated October 13, 1976,

as revised by Decision No. 93637, dated October 20, 1981. The potential and goals studies provide a framework and reference materials to aid in conservation program planning, and combining them with the Plan is more efficient than making three separate filings.

It should be noted that utilities do not submit their Conservation and Load Management Plans on December 1 for years in which general rate cases are submitted and decisions are pending. Rather, the Plans are usually submitted approximately sixty days after the general rate decision is issued. The Energy Conservation Branch prefers, however, the opportunity to receive and review the potential and goals studies on December 1 of rate case years as well.

Findings of facts

1. It is appropriate and efficient that the potential and goals studies be filed concurrently with the Conservation and Load Management Plan submitted on December 1 of each year that the Plan is filed on December 1, as these studies provide the background and framework for the Plan.
2. This concurrent filing may encourage Edison to seek greater integration between these two studies and conservation program planning than currently exists.
3. Concurrent filing will not be possible in years that the Conservation and Load Management Plan is not submitted on December 1.

Conclusion of Law

1. The Application should be granted as set forth below.
2. Because the December reports are being prepared now, this order should be effective today.

THEREFORE, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that

1. Ordering Paragraph 2 of D.92549 be modified to read:

"Edison shall submit by June 15, 1981, and annually thereafter no later than December 1 and, if possible, with its Conservation/Load Management Plan, a statement of electric conservation potential for its service territory as described in the opinion."

2. Ordering Paragraph 5 of D.92549 be modified as follows:

"By October 15, 1981, and annually thereafter no later than December 1 and, if possible, with its Conservation/Load Management Plan, Edison shall submit a statement of goals for achieving, by 1986, market saturation of all currently cost-effective conservation potential."

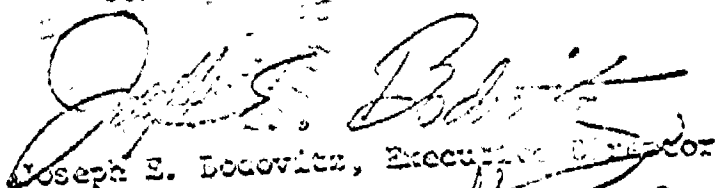
Portions which are underlined are added to the original ordering paragraphs. In all other respects D.92549 remains in full force and effect.

This order is effective today.

Dated OCT 19 1983, 1983 at San Francisco, California.

LEONARD M. CRIMES, JR.
President
VICTOR CALVO
PRISCILLA C. GREW
DONALD VIAL
WILLIAM T. BAGLEY
Commissioners

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION
WAS APPROVED BY THE
COMMISSIONERS BOARD.


Joseph E. Dacovitz, Executive Director