

Decision No. <u>87516</u> June 28, 1977

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Rick L. Garzini for the modification and emergency relief of Decision No. 86193 dated August 3, 1976.

Application No. 57220

ORDER OF MODIFICATION

By Decision No. 86193 dated August 3, 1976 in Application No. 55538 and Case No. 10093 the Commission imposed the following restriction upon Citizens Utilities Company of California (Citizens). Montara District:

> "3. Respondent shall make no new connections until such time as it can demonstrate a sufficient water supply to provide for additional customers without adversely affecting service to existing customers. Respondent shall exempt therefrom all applicants for service having a building permit issued prior to August 3, 1976."

On April 12, 1977 Rick L. Garzini filed the instant application requesting modification of the above order alleging that he owns property within the service area of the Montara District; that on June 11, 1976 he applied for water service from Citizens; that because of an error on the part of an employee of the water company, service was not provided before the effective date of Decision No. 86193; that between the period June 11, 1976 and August 3, 1976 he made frequent calls to the Montara office, and on each occasion was assured that service would be provided; that he was advised by the company's Sacramento office that the employee in question had lost several applications and was no longer employed by the company; and that he is unable to obtain a building permit because he does not have water service.

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After consideration, the Commission concludes that the application should be granted.

IT IS ORDERED that:

As an exception to Ordering Paragraph 3 of Decision
No. 86193, Citizens Utilities Company of California, Montara
District, shall, upon application, provide water service to Rick
L. Garzini.

2. In all other respects the provisions of Decision No. 86193 shall remain in full force and effect.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof. Dated at <u>San Francisco</u>, California, this So M day of <u>JUNE</u>, 1977.

Commissioners