

Decision 97-06-044 June 11, 1997

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company
for authority to implement a Fossil Generation
Performance-Based Ratemaking Mechanism
(U-902-E).

Application 96-07-010
(Filed July 15, 1996)

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ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On April 21, 1997 San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) filed a motion for leave to withdraw the captioned application. No responses to SDG&E's motion have been filed.

We determined in Decision (D.) 97-04-042 that the Independent System Operator, acting under the oversight of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), will have a primary role in addressing certain system reliability needs in the restructured electric industry. We noted that SDG&E had stated that if we were to make such a determination, it would seek to withdraw this application and concentrate its efforts in FERC proceedings. (*Id.*, p. 15.) We also noted that SDG&E had submitted a statement to FERC that it was prepared to withdraw its PBR proposal if this Commission concurred. (*Id.*, p. 16.) We then authorized SDG&E to file a motion for leave to do so. (*Id.*, Ordering Paragraph 2.)

SDG&E filed its motion pursuant to Ordering Paragraph 2 of D.97-04-042. Therefore, good cause appearing,

A.96-07-010 ALJ/MSW/tcg

IT IS ORDERED that Application 96-07-010 is dismissed and the proceeding is closed effective today.

Dated June 11, 1997, at San Francisco, California.

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President
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Commissioners