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COMMISSION ADVISORY
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RESOLUTION E-3134
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Energy Branch

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION E-3134. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY (EDISON) AUTHORIZATION TO REVISE RATE SCHEDULE NO. GS-TP, GENERAL SERVICE-THREE PHASE, NON-DEMAND, TO MITIGATE AN ADVERSE RATE IMPACT ON CUSTOMERS PROVIDED THREE-PHASE SERVICE BY EDISON WHO HAVE LITTLE OR NO THREE-PHASE LOAD.

BY ADVICE LETTER 822-E, FILED ON FEBRUARY 16, 1989.

SUMMARY

1. By Advice Letter 822-E, filed February 16, 1989, Southern California Edison Company (Edison) requests Commission approval to revise rate Schedule No. GS-TP, General Service - Three Phase, Non-Demand, to broaden the applicability to existing or new customers taking three-phase service when the customer's recorded maximum demand has not exceeded 10 kW. Rates are to become effective on and after March 31, 1989.

2. This Resolution approves Edison's request.

BACKGROUND

1. Edison's Applicability Section of Schedule No. GS-TP is revised to provide that effective on and after March 31, 1989, this schedule is also applicable to existing or new customers taking three-phase service when the customer's recorded maximum demand has not exceeded 10 kW or when, in the opinion of Edison, the customer's load and use characteristics indicate that the maximum demand will not exceed 10 kW. This change is needed to mitigate an unanticipated adverse rate impact on customers provided three-phase service by Edison who have little or no three-phase load.

2. In Edison's 1988 General Rate Case Decision (D.) 87-12-066, the Commission determined that all three-phase service should be subject to a Demand Charge. It authorized the elimination of rate Schedule No. GS-1 with the placement of any existing three-phase service GS-1 customers on Schedule No. GS-TP. Since