PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION ENERGY BRANCH RESOLUTION NO. G-2804 AUGUST 24, 1988

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION G-2804. FOUR CORNERS PIPE LINE COMPANY AUTHORIZED TO INCREASE RATES FOR LOCAL GATHERING SERVICE SERVING THE EAST LOS ANGELES AREA FOR AN ANNUAL INCREASE OF \$4,446 AND DELETE WILMINGTON AREA, LOS ANGELES COUNTY FROM LOCAL GATHERING SERVICE. ADVICE LETTER NO. 12, FILED JUNE 21, 1988.

SUMMARY

- 1. By letter dated June 21, 1988, Four Corners Pipe Line Company (FCPL) requests an increase for local gathering service from the East Los Angeles origination point connecting to Trunk Line No. 63.
- 2. The increase in charges is the result of increases in the rental for pipe line rights-of-way and minor increased operating expenses.
- 3. The estimated increase in revenues, resulting from this rate increase will be \$4,446.
- 4. Also requested is cancellation of FCPL's through rate from its Wilmington, Los Angeles County origination point to Trunk Line No. 48.

BACKGROUND

1. FCPL proposed rate for Local Gathering Tariff, East Los Angeles area, Los Angeles County to Trunk Line No. 63 is 22.0 cents per barrel (42 U.S. Gallons), an increase of 11.6 cents (111.54% from 10.4 cents per barrel. This represents the cost of increased rights of way and operation expenses.

2. FCPL also proposes deletion of the Local Gathering Tariff (Cal P.U.C. No. 108) Wilmington, Los Angeles County to Trunk Line No. 48. This service is no longer being used.

DISCUSSION

- 1. The Commission Advisory and Compliance Division (CACD) has reviewed this filing and finds that the derivation of the revenue requirements is correct and reasonable so that the increased charges to the estimated volumes shipped on this route will recover FCPL's expenses.
- 2. In accordance with Section III-G of General Order 96-A, FCPL notified the affected customers of this proposal by mail on June 21, 1988.
- 3. No protests to this Advice Letter were received.

FINDINGS

- 1. The rate revision is just and reasonable.
- 2. Deletion of the Wilmington origination point from the Local Gathering Tariff schedule is reasonable as this service is no longer being used by customers of Four Corners Pipe Line Company.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- Four Corners Pipe Line Company is authorized to file the tariff sheets attached to Advice Letter No. 12.
- 2. Advice Letter No. 12 and accompanying tariff sheets shall be marked to show that they were approved by Resolution No. G-2804.
- This Resolution is effective today.

I certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular meeting on August 24, 1988. The following Commissioner approved it:

STANLEY W. HULETT
President
DONALD VIAL
FREDERICK R. DUDA
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