

## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. ~~51030~~

UTILITIES DIVISION  
SECTION: **Electric**  
DATE: **June 8, 1959**

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SUBJECT: **Revision of Rule 56.6-D of General Order No. 95  
re Guy Sectionalizing, Exposed to 20 KV or More.**

WHEREAS: Following a conference between certain major electric utilities and Commission engineers it appears that, as a practical matter Rule 56.6-D of General Order No. 95 will be clarified by a minor change in language with no substantive change in its intent or application; and

WHEREAS: This matter has been referred to the major operators of overhead lines, all of which have concurred in the desirability of the change; and

WHEREAS: Safety to workmen and to the public will not be lessened; and good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Rule 56.6-D of General Order No. 95 be changed to read as follows:

**D. GUYS EXPOSED TO 20,000 VOLTS OR MORE**

Guys exposed to conductors of 20,000 volts or more (see App. G, Fig. 52) shall not be sectionalized and shall be securely grounded (by means of ground wires, anchor guys, or attachments to securely grounded metal poles or structures). Excepted from the above requirements are:

Guys, all or any portions thereof which are required to be sectionalized in accordance with Rule 56.6-A because of proximity of wood poles and supply conductors of less than 20,000 volts or in accordance with Rule 56.6-B; and

Guys, which are sectionalized by wood strain insulators equipped with arcing horns and designed to provide impulse insulation for lightning conditions.

The Secretary is directed to cause appropriate notice of the issuance of this order to be given to all operators of overhead electric supply and communication lines coming within the jurisdiction of this Commission.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly introduced, passed and adopted at a regular session of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California, held on the 8th day of June, 1959, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

C. LYN FOX, President, PETER E. MITCHELL,  
MATTHEW J. DOOLEY, THEODORE H. JENNER,  
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Commissioners.

*R. J. Rajan*  
Secretary