PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

	RESOLUTION NO. E-1688
to Executive Director RESOLUTION	UTILITIES DIVISION BRANCH/SECTION: Electric DATE: June 1, 1977

SUBJECT: Request of the ERUV Committee of Beth Jacob Congregation Beverly Hills for Deviation from Rule 34 of the Commission's
General Order No. 95

- WHEREAS: 1. The ERUV Committee of Beth Jacob Congregation, Beverly Hills, by letter, dated January 31, 1977, requests permission to deviate from General Order No. 95, to permit attachment of a non-conducting line to the tops of ten specific utility poles in Los Angeles, subject line being part of a continuous line encompassing portions of Hollywood, West Los Angeles and Beverly Hills areas, and
- 2. The line, known as an ERUV line, is a symbolic boundary designating an area which has religious significance for the Jewish community residing within this area, and
- 3. Rule 34 of General Order No. 95 prohibits installation of unauthorized equipment foreign to the purposes of overhead line construction, and
- 4. Pacific Telephone owns and solely occupies nine of the poles, the tenth pole is jointly owned and occupied by Pacific Telephone and LADWP; Pacific Telephone has indicated it does not foresee any safety hazard and does not oppose attachment of the ERUV line to its wholly owned poles; LADWP will not permit installation of the ERUV line on the jointly owned pole supporting electric and telephone facilities, but will rearrange its facilities off the jointly owned pole, at the expense of the ERUV Committee, to permit installation of the ERUV line on that pole, and
- 5. Installation and maintenance of the ERUV line is contracted with American Decorating Company, a firm experienced in installation of Christmas decorations and other work of this nature, and
- 6. A street use permit and hold harmless agreement has been executed between the ERUV Committee and the Los Angeles Board of Public Works, and
- 7. It is found that installation and maintenance of the ERUV line on subject ten poles will not create a safety hazard.

IT IS ORDERED that the ERUV Committe of Beth Jacob Congregation, Beverly Hills, be permitted to deviate from Rule 34 of General Order No. 95 and be permitted to install and maintain a monofilament non-conducting line to the tops of the following utility poles:

On Manning Avenue, from Motor to Haddington:

On Manning Avenue, from Haddington to Dunleer Drive:

706 180 H 706 181 H 706 182 H

On Manning Avenue, from Dunleer Drive to Clarkson:

706 183 H

The effective date of this resolution is the date hereof.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly introduced, passed and adopted at a regular conference of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California, held on the 1st day of June 19.77, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

WILLIAM SYMONS, JR. VERNON L. STURGEON RICHARD D. GRAVELLE

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