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RESOLUTION NO. E-1916

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to Executive DirectorUTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/SECTION: ELECTRIC
DATE: March 3, 1981R E S O L U T I O N_____
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SUBJECT: San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Electric Department.
Order Authorizing Revisions of Rules 15 and 15.1 which
will Result in Increased Charges.

SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY (SDG&E), by Advice Letter No. 524-E, filed January 29, 1981, requests authorization to make its periodic adjustment in charges for underground and overhead electric line extensions.

Section E.2 of Rules 15 and 15.1 states essentially that for each type of extension the utility will review its costs of construction annually and shall prepare a contemplated tariff revision, when such costs have changed more than 10 per cent since the last revision, which shall then be submitted to the Commission for review.

SDG&E proposes to 1) change the charge per front foot for electric underground extensions constructed within new residential subdivisions in Section C.1.a. of Rule 15.1 from \$5.64 to \$7.10; 2) change the charge per foot for electric underground extensions constructed within the new residential developments, in Section C.1.b. of Rule 15.1 from \$9.63 to \$12.19; 3) change the charge per foot that is used to determine the non-refundable advance for electric underground extensions constructed within new residential subdivisions, in Section C.3.(a) of Rule 15.1 from \$1.21 to \$1.96; 4) change the charge per foot that is used to determine non-refundable advance for electric underground extensions constructed within new residential developments, in Section C.3.(b) of Rule 15.1 from \$1.32 to \$2.81; 5) change the charge per foot of excess length of electric overhead line extensions in Section B.3.a.(1) of Rule 15 from \$5.24 to \$6.01.

Section of Rule 15.1	Type of Charge	Presently Effective Charges	Cost of Extensions	Percent Change
C.1.a.	Refundable - Subdivisions	\$ 5.64	\$ 7.10	25.9
C.3.(a)	Non-Refundable - Subdivisions	\$ 1.21	\$ 1.96	62.0
C.1.b.	Refundable - Developments	\$ 9.63	\$12.19	26.6
C.3.(b)	Non-Refundable - Developments	\$ 1.32	\$ 2.81	112.9
<u>Rule 15</u>				
B.3.a(1)	Excess-Overhead Line Extensions	\$ 5.24	\$ 6.01	14.7

The staff has made a review of SDG&E backup data and its calculation of the newly proposed charges and agrees with them.

This filing will not conflict with other schedules or rules nor cause the withdrawal of service, and will not increase or decrease any rates or charges, except as contemplated by Section E.2 of Rules 15 and 15.1.

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IT IS ORDERED that authority is granted to SDG&E to revise its electric line extension charges listed in Rules 15 and 15.1 as described above under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code and that Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 3854-E through 3858-E, inclusive, be marked to show that the sheets were issued under Resolution No. E-1916 of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California to become effective March 3, 1981. The effective date of this Resolution is the date hereof.

I certify that this Resolution was introduced, approved and adopted at a regular conference of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California on March 3, 1981. The following Commissioners voted favorably:

Executive Director