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RESOLUTION E-1984

UTILITIES DIVISION

BRANCH: Fuels and Operations

Date: September 7, 1983

R E S O L U T I O N

SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY'S (SPP),  
 REQUESTS AUTHORIZATION TO FOREGO FILING  
 ITS ENERGY COST ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE (ECAC)  
 APPLICATION FOR ITS OCTOBER 1, 1983  
REVISION DATE

By letter dated July 29, 1983 to the Executive Director, SPP requests authorization not to file its ECAC application for the revision date of October 1, 1983. The utility believes that no rate change is needed.

In Decision (D.) 92496, dated December 5, 1980, in OII-56, the Commission established ECAC revision dates of February 1, June 1, and October 1. SPP is required to file an application 60 days prior to the revision date.

In D.83-02-076, February 16, 1983 in OII 82-09-02, the Commission adopted a new schedule for the electric and gas utilities. For SPP, the annual and semi-annual revision dates are January 1 and July 1, respectively. The filing date for the next annual reasonableness review is September 6, 1983, or 116 days before the revision date. The semi-annual filing is 60 days before the revision date if it is determined that the annual revenue effect of a change in rates to offset revised energy cost estimates and to amortize the balancing account in six months exceeds +5% of total annual revenue.

To comply with these decisions, SPP will have to file its ECAC application on August 1, 1983 and its annual reasonableness review application on September 6, 1983. This will cause SPP to have two ECAC applications simultaneously before the Commission.

The Commission finds that the estimated increase would be 0.003% for the three months, October 1, to December 31, 1983 and is not sufficient to require a rate revision. Therefore, good cause appearing,

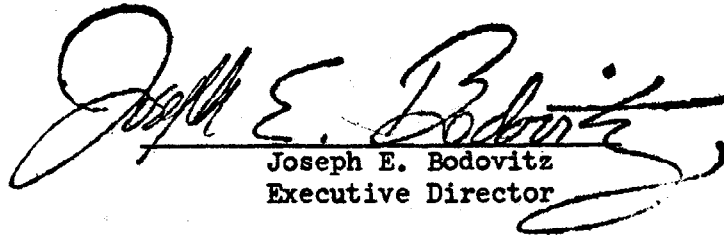
IT IS RESOLVED that:

1. Sierra Pacific Power Company is authorized to forego the Energy Cost Adjustment Clause filing for the revision date of October 1, 1983.

This resolution is effective today.

I certify that this resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular conference on SEP 7 1983. The following Commissioners approved it.

LEONARD M. GRIMES, JR.  
President  
VICTOR CALVO  
PRISCILLA C. GREW  
DONALD VIAL  
Commissioners

  
Joseph E. Bodovitz  
Executive Director