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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY & COMPLIANCE DIVISION
Energy Branch

RESOLUTION E-3095
May 25, 1988

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION E-3095 AUTHORIZES PLUMAS-SIERRA RURAL
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE TO REVISE ITS RULES, RETROACTIVELY,
BY ADVICE LETTER 71-E, FILED APRIL 4, 1988

SUMMARY

Plumas-Sierra Rural Electric Cooperative (PSREC) has filed new rules to change its existing rules and to add some additional fees.

DISCUSSION

1. PSREC has submitted this advice letter to update its rules and to institute some new charges.
2. The rules being changed were adopted in 1979, or earlier. The rule changes are necessary to reflect changed operating conditions of PSREC, or to include definitions and other material which were not previously required in the operations of PSREC.
3. PSREC is changing its Rule No. 5. and Rule No. 10 to reflect that appeal to the Commission is not available to customers who are in disagreement with the charges levied.
4. The charges being implemented are charges for services which are either for a new service or for a service which PSREC formerly provided at no cost to its customers.
5. PSREC has requested that these new rules and regulations become effective April 1, 1988.

FINDINGS

1. PSREC's rates and other fees are exempt from Commission review and oversight as set forth in Public Utilities Code Section 2777. In all other respects PSREC is subject to Commission jurisdiction as set forth in Public Utilities Code Section 2778.
2. PSREC's rules, as well as those of other cooperatives, no longer reflect current operational practices and need to be updated to reflect present conditions and the practices currently followed by the cooperatives and fully regulated utilities.
3. It is just and reasonable to make these tariff changes effective April 1, 1988.

THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Plumas-Sierra Rural Electric Cooperative is authorized to file the tariff sheets submitted with this Advice Letter.
2. We place Plumas-Sierra Rural Electric Cooperative on notice that, except for the exemption contained in Public Utilities Code Section 2777, they are subject to all other provisions of the Public Utilities Code and are expected to comply with those provisions.
3. This Resolution shall be effective, retroactively, to April 1, 1988.

I certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular meeting on May 25, 1988. The following Commissioners approved it:

STANLEY W. HULETT
President

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