

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND
COMPLIANCE DIVISION
Energy Branch

RESOLUTION E-3355
JANUARY 7, 1994

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION E-3355. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY'S (EDISON'S) REQUEST FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL OF ESTABLISHMENT OF THE EDISON-MARCH AIR FORCE BASE AGREEMENT REGARDING POWER ALLOCATIONS FROM THE PARKER-DAVIS PROJECT, AND TO REVISE EDISON'S LIST OF CONTRACTS AND DEVIATIONS.

BY ADVICE LETTER 1012-E, FILED ON SEPTEMBER 10, 1993.

SUMMARY

1. Edison requests Commission approval to establish an Edison-March Air Force Base (March AFB) Agreement that contains the terms and conditions regarding power allocations from the Parker-Davis Project, a federally-owned and-operated water and power project consisting of the Parker and Davis Dams and associated electric system, to March AFB by the Western Area Power Administration (WAPA). The agreement schedules WAPA power for the Edison control area in which March AFB will receive a credit from Edison on its monthly billing under Schedule TOU-8 for both energy and capacity components of March AFB's Parker-Davis Entitlement. The Air Force and WAPA have agreed to transfer the Parker-Davis Project allocations for George AFB and Norton AFB to March AFB due to the closure of the two bases.
2. Electric service that exceeds the capacity and availability provided by the Parker-Davis Project will be supplied by Edison under Schedule No. TOU-8, Time-Of-Use General Service-Large.
3. No protests.
4. This resolution grants the request.

BACKGROUND

1. Edison has been providing electric service to George, Norton, and Edwards AFBs under Schedule No. TOU-8. The bases, being facilities of the federal government, have received allocations of both electrical energy and capacity by WAPA from the Parker-Davis Project, as authorized in Resolution No. E-3231, dated September 6, 1991. The contracts provide for Edison to deliver the energy to George, Norton and Edwards AFBs, and to provide all

supplemental capacity or energy at the rates in Schedule No. TOU-8. Edison is interconnected with the WAPA system at WAPA's Blythe Substation.

2. Because Norton and George AFBs are now closed, the proposed agreement in this advice letter filing replaces the existing agreements between the Air Force and Norton AFB (Norton Agreement) and the Air Force and George AFB (George Agreement), which will terminate on the effective date of this resolution (Res. E-3355). The Edison-March AFB agreement is essentially identical to the agreements for all these air force bases approved in Resolution No. E-3231.

3. The capacity and energy allocations that belonged to Norton and George AFBs will now be given to March AFB by WAPA from the Parker-Davis Project.

NOTICE:

1. Public notice of this filing was given by publication in the Commission's calendar on September 14, 1993.

PROTESTS

1. The Commission Advisory and Compliance Division (CACD) received no protests on AL 1012-E.

DISCUSSION

1. Because George and Norton Air Force Bases are closing, their capacity and associated energy allocated by the Western Area Power Administration from the Parker-Davis Project needs to be re-routed. March AFB has established an agreement with Edison to take over these power allocations, in which March AFB will receive a credit from Edison on its monthly billing under Schedule TOU-8. Edison will also remove the agreements that the Air Force has with Norton and George AFBs from its List of Contracts and Deviations.

FINDINGS

1. The Commission should approve the Edison-March Air Force Base Agreement to be effective on the date of the approval of this resolution.

2. The Edison-March AFB agreement is essentially identical to the agreements for all these air force bases approved in Resolution No. E-3231.

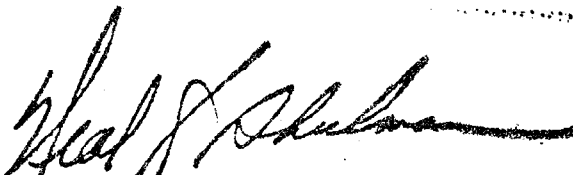
3. Edison should modify its List of Contracts and Deviations to reflect the cancellation of the Norton and George AFB agreements with the Air Force.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Southern California Edison Company's request to establish the Edison-March Air Force Base Agreement, as filed by Advice Letter 1012-E, is approved.
2. Southern California Edison Company shall remove the agreement the Air Force has with both Norton and George Air Force Bases from its List of Contracts and Deviations.
3. This Resolution is effective today.

I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular meeting on January 7, 1994.

The following Commissioners approved it:



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