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RESOLUTION NO. G-1357

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UTILITIES DIVISION BRANCH/SECTION: GAS DATE: December 20, 1966

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SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Deviation From Filed Tariffs For a Gas Main Extension

WHEREAS: SOUTHERN COUNTIES GAS COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA by Advice Letter No. 530, filed November 30, 1966, having requested authority under its Rule No. 20.E.7 and Sections 455 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code to deviate from its filed tariff schedules by the waiving of gas main extension advances for the proposed extension of natural gas service to the communities of Ballard and Los Olivos in Santa Barbara County, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 4395-G to 4398-G, inclusive, and

WHEREAS: The utility states that there have been numerous inquiries concerning the availability of natural gas service to the two communities, and

WHEREAS: A rate of return study indicates that revenues from the proposed extension will be sufficient and not place a burden on other customers, and

WHEREAS: The utility will submit a rate of return report to the Commission following the third full year of operation and, if an extension allowance deficiency exists, will submit annual rate of return reports until the deficiency is eliminated; therefore, good cause appearing.

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section 532 of the Public Utilities Code to deviate from the provisions of Rule No. 20, Gas Main Extensions, by the waiving of main extension advances for the extension of natural gas service to the communities of Ballard and Los Olivos.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that authority be granted under Sections 455 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code to make said tariff sheets effective on December 30, 1966.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above tariff sheets be marked to show that such sheets were issued under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1357.

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 20th day of December , 1966, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

PETER E. MITCHELL, President

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FREDERICK B. HOLOBOFF, A. W. GATOV,

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William U. Viendop Secretary