PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-1570

RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION BRANCH/SECTION: Gas DATE: January 3, 1973

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SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Changes in Tariff Schedules Which Will Result in Net Decreased Charges Upon Less Than the Required Notice

WHEREAS: SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION by Advice No. 104, requests authority under Sections 454, 455, 490 and 491 of the Public Utilities Code to reduce rates in Placer County for meter readings on and after January 1, 1973 as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 736-G to 743-G, inclusive and to make future refunds for overcharges in December 1972 and January 1973, and

WHEREAS: The rate reduction and refund plans presented in conformance with Decision No. 80875 are considered reasonable, and

WHEREAS: The combining of these two rate revisions on less than required notice periods results in a net annual revenue reduction of \$2,938, and

WHEREAS: The implementation of the rate increase component deviates from the advice letter procedure specified by Decisions Nos. 79467 and 80875 but the increase itself is allowable by Decision No. 80875, and

WHEREAS: We find these increases are justified; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Sections 454, 490 and 491 of the Public Utilities Code to make said sheets effective for meter readings on and after January 1, 1973 and that Southwest Gas Corporation be granted authority to place into effect the refund plan filed herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above sheets be marked to show that they were issued under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1570 and that Southwest Gas Corporation shall keep records of the refunds made and submit reports on their disposition to this Commission.

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 <u>3rd</u> day of <u>January</u>, 1973, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

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Secretary