PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION

RESOLUTION NO.G-1580

BRANCH/SECTION: Gas DATE: May 8, 1973

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SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Gas Service Contracts Including Terms Deviating from Filed Tariffs

WHEREAS: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY by Advice Letter No. 869 filed April 23, 1973, having requested short notice authorization under Section XA of General Order No. 96-A and Sections 454, 455, 491 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code to carry out the terms of contracts with the Imperial Irrigation District for gas service at Coachella under conditions which deviate from filed tariffs, and reflect into Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 13566-G to 13568-G, inclusive, and

WHEREAS: Authority was granted to IID by the Air Pollution Control District of the County of Riverside to construct a gas turbine electric generating station at Coachella with natural gas as the primary fuel, and

WHEREAS: The Schedule G-58 service agreement deviates from filed tariffs by the provision for an initial partial contract year from June 1, 1973 to April 1, 1974, and

WHEREAS: The main and service extension agreement deviates from filed tariffs in that the full cost of the extensions will be borne by the customer without free-footage allowances as provided in Rules 20 and 21, and

WHEREAS: The main and service extensions requested are not considered projects as defined by the California Environmental Quality Act and thus do not fall under the purview of Rule 17.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, and

WHEREAS: Approval on less than statutory notice is requested in order that construction of facilities may proceed promptly to provide an early service date, and

WHEREAS: We find this increase is justified; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Sections 454, 491 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code, effective as of May 13, 1973, to carry out the terms and conditions of the above agreements.

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-1580.

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>8th</u> day of <u>May</u>, 19.73, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

Secretary