PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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## **RESOLUTION NO.** G-1618

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UTILITIES DIVISION BRANCH/SECTION: Gas DATE: March 12, 1974

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SUBJECT: Order Approving a Gas Exploration and Development Adjustment Project

WHEREAS: PACIFIC LIGHTING SERVICE COMPANY and SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, by GEDA Project Letter 74-A filed on January 7, 1974, requested approval to fund a portion of the gas exploration and development activities on the North Slope of Alaska currently funded by Southern California Edison Company and to recover related costs in rates, and

WHEREAS: The exploration and development activities in the project area to date indicate that the authority granted should be limited in time and subject to renewal if the utilities wish to go forward with the rate offset, and

WHEREAS: This letter filing meets the Gas Exploration and Development Adjustment (GEDA) requirements prescribed by Decision No. 81898, dated September 25, 1973, in Application No. 53625, and

WHEREAS: A public hearing is not necessary; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section 701 of the Public Utilities Code to allow Pacific Lighting Service Company and Southern California Gas Company rate adjustment for this project through June 30, 1975.

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 12th day of March , 19 74, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

Secretary