

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-1620

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to Secretary

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION

BRANCH/~~SECTION~~: Gas

DATE: March 12, 1974

..... Director
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..... Accounting Officer

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Use of Revised Billing Factor

WHEREAS: MC CLOUD GAS COMPANY, INC., by Advice Letter No. 11, filed February 26, 1974, requests authority under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to revise Rule No. 2, Description of Service, to include a statement denoting the average as well as minimum heating value of LPG, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 84-G and 85-G, and

WHEREAS: The utility further requests to place into use revised meter billing Tables utilizing the average heating value of 2344 BTU per cubic foot as a billing factor rather than the accepted minimum heating value of 2280 BTU per cubic foot, and

WHEREAS: The purpose of this filing is to correct a situation of underbilling purportedly created by the incorrect conversion of cubic feet of gas to therms by the use of the minimum heating value as a conversion factor and no rate increase is involved, and

WHEREAS: The estimated \$5,731 annual increase in revenue merely represents the cessation of the present practice of underbilling and does not attempt to recoup any past underbillings, and

WHEREAS: We find that such revenue increase is justified; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to make the above sheets effective for service rendered on and after March 28, 1974.

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-1620.

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, 1974, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: