

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-1633

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..... to Secretary

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/~~SECTION~~ Gas
DATE: April 30, 1974

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SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Terms and Conditions of a Gas Service Agreement on Less than Statutory Notice

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY by Advice Letter No. 659-G, filed April 17, 1974, having requested short notice authorization under Section X.A. of General Order No. 96-A and Sections 491 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code to carry out the terms of an agreement with Southwest Gas Corporation covering arrangements for the temporary supply of firm natural gas to Southwest during periods of unanticipated emergency, and

WHEREAS: The agreement provides for PGandE to deliver natural gas to Southwest through an emergency tap on Southern California Gas Company's transmission line, located near Apple Valley, which was previously approved by Commission Resolution No. G-1613, and

WHEREAS: Gas delivered under this emergency agreement shall be considered as having been delivered under the terms of the previous resale service agreement with Southwest, and

WHEREAS: The agreement filed herewith deviates from filed tariffs in that Southwest will pay PGandE for all costs or losses incurred as a direct result of performance under this new agreement, and

WHEREAS: Short notice approval is requested in order that emergency protection for Southwest may become available as quickly as possible, and

WHEREAS: We find the terms and conditions of this agreement to be reasonable; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section X.A of General Order No. 96-A and under Sections 491 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code to carry out the terms and conditions of the above agreement, effective April 30, 1974.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the agreement be marked to show that it was authorized under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1633.

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 30th day of April, 1974, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: