

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-1655

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to Secretary

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UTILITIES DIVISION

BRANCH/~~SECTION~~: Gas

DATE: August 6, 1974

Director

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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 No. 74-E filed on May 15, 1974, requested approval to advance funds for gas delineation and development activities in the Palm Valley area of Australia, and

WHEREAS: The exploration and development activities in the project area to date indicates 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 pursuant to the provisions of Decision No. 81898 for Pacific Lighting Service Company and Southern California Gas Company to participate in the funding of this project to the extent of \$2,982,000 U.S. and to file for recovery in rates such costs.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that further funding of this project will not be authorized without additional justification of the project.

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 6th day of August, 1974, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: