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RESOLUTION NO. G-1684

RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas
DATE: November 6, 1974

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Enlargement of Steam Service Area and
Establishment of New Rate Schedule Resulting in Increased Rates

WHEREAS: SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY by Advice Letter No. 84-H, filed October 10, 1974, requests authority under Section VI of General Order No. 96-A and under Sections 454 and 455 of the Public Utilities Code to file revised tariff sheets enlarging its existing steam service area and establishing Schedule 2 to cover service to any and all customers in the new service area, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 273-H to 279-H, inclusive, and

WHEREAS: Authority to install, construct, maintain and operate steam pipe conduits in areas outside of its existing steam service area was granted to the utility by the City of San Diego under Ordinance No. 11342, effective July 28, 1974, and

WHEREAS: A certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as defined by Sections 1001 and 1002 of the Public Utilities Code is not required to exercise a franchise for steam service, and

WHEREAS: The reason for the expanded service area is to supply service requested by the Federal Government for new Federal facilities outside the current service area and for service to potential new customers in a redevelopment area, and

WHEREAS: Service in the new franchise area will be rendered under Schedule 2 which has rates which are 1% higher than those of Schedule 1 due to increased franchise fees imposed by the City of San Diego, and

WHEREAS: This increased rate schedule is in accordance with the provisions of finding No. 16 of Decision No. 80432, dated August 29, 1972 in Application No. 52802, and

WHEREAS: No accurate estimate can be made at this time on revenues expected from the new service area due to the lack of information concerning potential customers, but any increase relating to Rate Schedule 2 is expected to be minimal, and

WHEREAS: We find that the rate increase in this new rate schedule is justified; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section VI of General Order No. 96-A and under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to make the above sheets effective on November 9, 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-1684.

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 November, 1974, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

Secretary