## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-1688

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RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION BRANCH/SECTION: Gas DATE: November 19, 1974

......Director ......Numerical File ......Alphabetical File ......Accounting Officer

> SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Increases in Customer Advances for Gas Main and Service Extensions

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY by Advice Letter No. 681-G, filed October 24, 1974 requests authority under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to revise Rule No. 15, Gas Main Extensions and Rule No. 16, Gas Service Extensions as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 9316-G to 9321-G, inclusive, and

WHEREAS: One of the revisions requested would amend Rule No. 15 by increasing the cost of advance supplied by the customer per foot of gas main extension beyond the allowable free length from \$2.36 per foot to \$2.95 per foot, and

WHEREAS: The other revision requested would amend Rule No. 16 by increasing the cost of the advance supplied by the customer per foot of gas service extension beyond the allowable free length from \$1.20 per foot to \$2.50 per foot, and

WHEREAS: The reason for the above increase is based on a utility review of current construction costs in conformance with Section E.2. of Rule 15 and Section H. of Rule 16, and

WHEREAS: These revisions will make the advance requirements similar to those of other California utilities, thus improving uniformity, and

WHEREAS: No significant additional revenue will be realized by the utility due to these increases because they will only offset existing construction costs, and

WHEREAS: We find these increases to be 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 on November 23, 1974 which constitutes regular statutory notice.

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-1688.

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 <u>19th</u> day of <u>November</u>, <u>19</u>.74, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

Secretary