

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-1689

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to Secretary

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION

BRANCH/~~SECTION~~: Gas

DATE: November 26, 1974

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..... Accounting Officer

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Deviations from Filed Tariffs for a Gas Main Extension on Less Than Statutory Notice

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY by Advice Letter No. 682-G, filed November 4, 1974, having requested authority under Sections 454 and 491 of the Public Utilities Code to deviate from filed tariff schedules, by applying special rates to the subdivision of Fort Washington Estates, north of Fresno in Fresno County as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 9322-G to 9325-G, inclusive, and

WHEREAS: The application of rate Schedule G-13, concurrently with the closing of Schedules G-40 and G-50, to the customers in this area, not yet served with natural gas, will result in a technical increase in rates and thus will have the effect of reducing the burden on other rate-payers, and

WHEREAS: The utility alleges that this extension will not affect existing customers, cause a withdrawal of service, nor conflict with existing service, and

WHEREAS: Approval on less than statutory notice is requested in order that construction of facilities may proceed promptly to provide an early service date, and

WHEREAS: We find that construction of this gas main extension is reasonable; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Sections 454 and 491 of the Public Utilities Code to proceed with this project and to make the above sheets effective as of November 26, 1974.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that PGandE shall be directed to submit annual rate of return reports for this gas main extension to the Commission after the first full year of operation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that PGandE shall be notified that this project will not be allowed to become a burden on other rate-payers and that applications for all future gas main extensions of this type will be carefully scrutinized by the Commission for this purpose.

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-1689.

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 26th day of November, 1974, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: