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RESOLUTION NO. G-1757

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION  
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas  
DATE: May 27, 1975

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

**WHEREAS:** SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION by Advice Letter No. 135, filed May 2, 1975, 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. 991-G to 994-G, inclusive, and

**WHEREAS:** One of the revisions requested would amend Rule No. 15 by increasing the cost of the advance supplied by the customer per foot of gas main extension beyond the free length from \$4.00 per foot to \$6.00 per foot in Placer County and from \$1.15 per foot to \$1.86 per foot in San Bernardino County, 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 free length from \$2.50 per foot to \$5.00 per foot in Placer County and from \$0.80 to \$2.75 per foot in San Bernardino County, and

**WHEREAS:** The reason for the above increases is based on a utility review of current construction costs in conformance with Section E.2. of Rule No. 15 and Section H. of Rule No. 16, and

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

**WHEREAS:** No 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 June 1, 1975 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-1757.

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 27th day of May, 1975, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: