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RESOLUTION NO. G-1786

UTILITIES DIVISION

BRANCH/SECTION: Gas

DATE: September 10, 1975

RESOLUTION

**SUBJECT:** Request to Provide Additional Gas Service by  
Southern California Gas Company

**WHEREAS:** SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 928, filed July 14, 1975, having requested Commission approval under Section X.A. of General Order No. 96-A and under the provisions of Decision No. 83819, to provide additional service in excess of 200 Mcfd to Trans Pacific Metals Corporation for new plant facilities to be located in Oxnard, and

**WHEREAS:** The customer will require approximately 2,392 Mcfd of interruptible gas to be used in various furnace, torches and casting equipment, and

**WHEREAS:** Only the various torches, which will require 96 Mcfd of gas, can operate only on natural gas while all of the other equipment can be converted to operate on fuel oil or other alternate fuels, and

**WHEREAS:** The customer intends to use LPG as standby fuel and is currently constructing storage facilities for a 7 day supply, and

**WHEREAS:** San Diego Gas and Electric Company has requested public hearings on the above advice letter, and

**WHEREAS:** The issues San Diego Gas and Electric Company is attempting to raise are currently under consideration in a formal rate proceeding before this Commission; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that San Diego Gas and Electric Company's request for public hearings on this matter be denied.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that authority be granted under Section X.A. of General Order No. 96-A and under the provisions of Decision No. 83819 for Southern California Gas Company to provide the 96 Mcfd of natural gas to Trans Pacific Metals Corporation required to operate the torches, effective September 10, 1975, but the Commission approval to provide the additional 2,296 Mcfd for all other equipment be denied.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above filing be marked to show that it was authorized, conditionally, under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1786.

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 10th day of September, 1975, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: