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RESOLUTION NO. G-1863

UTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas
DATE: March 23, 1976

R E S O L U T I O N

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing PGA Offset Increase in Gas Tariff Schedules

WHEREAS: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 971, filed February 27, 1976, requests authority under the PGA clause in its tariffs to adjust its rate schedules as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 14423-G to 14440-G, inclusive, to become effective April 1, 1976, and

WHEREAS: These tariff revisions are to offset changes filed by El Paso Natural Gas Company in FPC Dockets Nos. RP72-155 and RP75-39 and by Transwestern Pipeline Company in FPC Docket No. RP74-52, resulting in a net increase in costs to So. Cal., and

WHEREAS: The net result of this filing will be an estimated annual revenue increase of approximately \$47,869,000, notwithstanding any further modifications from El Paso, and

WHEREAS: The utility further requests authority under Sections 491 and 701 of the Public Utilities Code to submit substitute tariff sheets in the event that El Paso should make further modifications in its FPC filing, and

WHEREAS: We find this rate increase to be reasonable; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code and in accordance with the provisions of So. Cal.'s PGA clause in its tariffs to make the above sheets effective on April 1, 1976.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that in the event that El Paso makes further modification of its April 1, 1976 FPC filing, authority will be granted under Sections 491 and 701 of the Public Utilities Code for Southern California Gas Company to submit substitute tariff sheets to reflect FPC accepted rate levels, and that such substitute tariff sheets become effective on April 1, 1976, or upon one-day notice, whichever is later.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above tariff sheets and/or any subsequent substitute tariff sheets be marked to show that they were issued under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1863.

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 23rd day of March, 1976, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

D. W. HOLMES
President

WILLIAM SYMONS, JR.
VERNON L. STURGEON
ROBERT BAHNOVICH
Commissioners

William R. Johnson

Executive Director