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RESOLUTION NO. G-1868

RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas
DATE: March 30, 1976

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Decrease in Rates

WHEREAS: SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION, by Advice Letter No. 155, filed March 4, 1976, requests authority to decrease its gas rate schedules, applicable to the Placer County rate area, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 1153-G to 1160-G, inclusive, to become effective on April 1, 1976, and

WHEREAS: The requested decrease is based on the result of an overall decrease in the cost of gas of .485 cents per therm, and

WHEREAS: This decrease is comprised of: (1) a reduction due to Southwest's FPC jurisdictional customers average cost of purchased gas; (2) a Northwest Pipeline Corporation's PGA filing resulting in a decrease to Southwest; and (3) a rate increase due to purchasing gas under Northwest's Rate Schedule LS-1, and

WHEREAS: The total net revenue effect of this requested filing will result in an approximate decrease of \$41,000 in annual revenue; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that Southwest Gas Corporation be authorized to make the above tariff sheets effective for service on April 1, 1976.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above tariff sheets be marked to show that they were accepted for filing under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1868.

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 30th day of March, 1976, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

D. W. HOLMES, President
WILLIAM SYMONS, JR., VERNON L. STURGEON
LEONARD ROSS, ROBERT BATINOVICH, Commissioners

William R. Johnson

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Executive Director