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RESOLUTION NO. G-1873

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas
DATE: May 18, 1976

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Special Contract Under Conditions
Deviating from Filed Tariffs on Less Than Statutory Notice

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 783-G, filed April 26, 1976, having requested authorization under Section XA of General Order No. 96-A, and Sections 491 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code and Decision No. 85189, to carry out the terms of a contract with General Foods Corp., covering a gas main extension and an additional supply of natural gas service under conditions that deviate from filed tariffs, and

WHEREAS: The agreement for said gas main extension deviates from filed tariffs in that the cost of construction will be borne by the customer without allowing one year's estimated revenue to be deducted from the advance as provided under Rule No. 15, and requires that the customer pays a monthly cost-of-ownership charge equal to 1% of any non-refunded advance for a period of 60 months, and

WHEREAS: Refunds will be made in accordance with Rule No. 15 only if the customer is willing to accept a reduction in the hourly rate of flow proportionate to that of the refund to the advance because the gas service extension is sized to meet customer's requirements only, with no provisions for future applicants for gas service, and

WHEREAS: It is requested that the amount of gas supplied to the customer during the peak period be increased from 8.8 Mcfh as previously approved by Resolution No. G-1804, dated September 3, 1975, to 11.3 Mcfh, and

WHEREAS: The customer has requested that construction commence as soon as possible in order for a completion date prior to the start of harvest season, and

WHEREAS: Gas is the only acceptable fuel to operate the food dryers, and will not be used as boiler fuel; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Sections 491 and 532 of the Public Utilities Code for this contract to become effective May 18, 1976. The effective date of this Resolution is the date hereof.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the contract be marked to show that it was accepted for filing under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-1873.

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.....18th.....day of.....May....., 19.....76., the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

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

William R. Johnson

Executive Director