

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-2003

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UTILITIES DIVISION
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas
DATE: December 21, 1976

R E S O L U T I O N

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SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Increase For Steam Tariff Rates

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 51-S, filed December 2, 1976, requests authority under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to increase its steam tariff rates, in accordance with Part B, Paragraph 2 of the Preliminary Statement, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets 210-H and 211-H, and

WHEREAS: The total net revenue effect of this request will result in an annual revenue increase of \$156,200, or 5.0%, for the utility's Steam Department, and

WHEREAS: The fuel cost adjustment factor is changed from \$0.874 per M lbs. to \$1.061 per M lbs of steam, and

WHEREAS: This rate increase is required to offset increased cost of gas from El Paso Natural Gas Co. and from Transwestern Pipeline Co., and

WHEREAS: All of the above gas rate increases have been previously approved by Commission resolution and/or decision, and

WHEREAS: We find that this steam rate increase is justified; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that authority be granted under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code for PG&E to place the revised steam fuel cost adjustment factor into effect on January 1, 1977, which constitutes regular statutory notice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above tariff sheets be marked to show that they were authorized under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-2003. The effective date of this Resolution is the date hereof.

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 21st day of December, 1976, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

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

William R. Johnson
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Executive Director