

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION NO. G-2043

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.....to Acting Executive Director

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION

BRANCH/SECTION: Gas

DATE: March 1, 1977

.....Director

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.....Accounting Officer

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Revised Fuel Cost Adjustment Resulting in Rate Decrease in Steam Tariffs

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 53-S, filed January 28, 1977, requests authority under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to file a Revised Fuel Cost Adjustment (FCA), pursuant to Decision No. 83117 in Application No. 54025, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 215-H and 216-H, and resulting in the following:

1. The total net revenue effect of this request will result in an annual revenue decrease of \$17,700, or 0.5%, for the utility's Steam Department.

2. The fuel cost adjustment factor is changed from \$1.061 per M lbs. to \$1.039 per M lbs. of steam.

3. The revised FCA is based on forecast period sales and fuel use for the 12 months beginning February 1, 1977, gas fuel prices estimated to be in effect on or before February 1, 1977, and the average cost of oil fuel in steam sales inventory on the first day of the forecast period.

4. Such reduced charges due to decreasing fuel and purchased power expenses are hereby found to be just and reasonable; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. 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 this date, which constitutes regular statutory notice.

2. 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-2043. 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 1st day of March, 1977, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: