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RESOLUTION NO. G-2077

RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION  
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas  
DATE: May 10, 1977

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Revision of Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause

WHEREAS: SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 388-G, filed April 15, 1977, having requested Commission approval under Sections 454 and 455 of the Public Utilities Code, to file revised tariff sheets to revise the Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) procedure of the Preliminary Statement as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets Nos. 2499-G to 2508-G, inclusive, and resulting in the following:

1. The PGA rates to become effective with the regular April and October revision date will include a balancing rate which will amortize the accumulated balance in the Gas Cost Balance Account (GCBA), whether a debit or credit.

2. The balancing rate will be determined by dividing the latest available balance in the GCBA by the estimated gas sales for the six-month period beginning on the revision date and adjusting the results for franchise fees and uncollectible accounts expense.

3. The GCBA will be maintained by making entries to the account at the end of each month and will contain actual costs and revenue and appropriate interest on the average balance in the account.

4. As of January 1, 1977, the balance in this account is a debit of \$1,103,000.

5. The number of PGA filings made by SDG&E each year have been limited to not exceed the number of PGA filings made by Southern California Gas Company.

6. We find that these revisions and other minor changes in format of the PGA procedure will not conflict with other schedules or rules nor cause the withdrawal of service, and will not increase any rates or charges except as noted; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Authority be granted under Sections 454 and 455 of the Public Utilities Code for SDG&E to place the above tariff sheets into effect on May 15, 1977, which constitutes regular statutory notice.

2. The above tariff sheets will be marked to show that they were authorized by Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-2077. 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 10th day of May, 1977, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: