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RESOLUTION NO. G-2137

R E S O L U T I O N

UTILITIES DIVISION  
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas  
DATE: September 7, 1977

SUBJECT: Request to Provide Additional Natural Gas Service in  
Excess of 50 Mcfd

WHEREAS: PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 935-G, filed August 11, 1977, has requested Commission approval under the provisions of Decision No. 85189, to supply additional natural gas in excess of 50 Mcfd to Ball Metal Container Group (Applicant) in Fairfield, Solano County under the following circumstances:

1. Applicant's request is for an additional average daily consumption of 95 Mcf, raising his existing average daily consumption from 200 Mcf to 295 Mcf.
2. Applicant will use this additional gas to operate a third paint dryer oven line in their beer and beverage can plant.
3. Fuel oil cannot be used in this process without contamination of the product.
4. Solar energy is not feasible for use in these ovens due to the high temperature (385°F) and high volume of air required in this process.
5. Applicant meets the criteria for FPC Priority 2 classification (Docket No. RP 72-6).
6. We find that this request should be granted and that the Applicant should be classified in Priority 2A under the end-use criteria adopted in Decision No. 85189; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Authority be granted under the provisions of Decision No. 85189 for PG&E to supply the requested service to Ball Metal Container Group effective September 10, 1977.
2. The above advice letter and application be marked to show that they were accepted for filing under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-2137. 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 7th day of September, 1977, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

Executive Director