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RESOLUTION NO. G-2139

R E S O L U T I O N

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

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

WHEREAS: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, by Advice Letter No. 1090, filed August 17, 1977, has requested Commission approval under the provisions of Decision No. 85189, to supply natural gas in excess of 50 Mcfd to Middleton Packaging Company (Applicant) in the City of Industry, Los Angeles County under the following circumstances:

1. Applicant's request is for a peak day consumption of 169 Mcf.
2. Applicant will use this additional gas to operate one commercial product dryer, and atmospheric burners in domestic type equipment, at his plant where he will manufacture pulp paper food packaging items.
3. Fuel oil cannot be used in the dryer since combustion gases impinge directly on the food trays resulting in contamination and odor pick-up.
4. Solar energy is not feasible in this pulp paper dryer due to the high operating capacity and the high (400°F) temperature requirements.
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 Southern California Gas Company to supply the requested service to Middleton Packaging Company effective September 16, 1977.
2. The above advice letter be marked to show that it was accepted for filing under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-2139. 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: