## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO. G-2169

UTILITIES DIVISION BRANCH/SECTION: Gas DATE: November 29, 1977

\_\_\_\_\_Director \_\_\_\_\_Numerical File \_\_\_\_\_Alphabetical File

Accounting Officer

SUBJECT: Order Authorizing Fuel Cost Rate Increase for LPG Utility Company

WHEREAS: ROLLING GREEN UTILITIES, INC., by Advice Letter No. 21-G, filed November 15, 1977, having requested authority under the fuel escalation clauses of its filed tariff schedules and under Section 454 of the Public Utilities Code to increase its rates to offset an LPG purchased price increase, as set forth on Cal. P.U.C. Sheets 92-G and 93-G, under the following conditions:

1. Commission Resolution No. G-1893, dated June 7, 1976, established lifeline quantities for Rolling Green Utility Company at 25 therms per summer month and 85 therms per winter month.

2. The proposed rate increase of 35.0 cents per therm for all nonlifeline rates will produce an annual revenue increase of \$7,024, which will offset the estimated increase in annual fuel costs of \$7,182, created by a fuel cost increase of 7.0 cents per gallon.

3. This rate increase will increase the average residential customers' monthly summer bill of 29 therms by \$1.40 from \$12.36 to \$13.76 and the average winter bill of 87 therms by \$0.70 from \$38.20 to \$38.90.

4. This utility has no nonresidential customers to be affected by this rate revision.

5. We find that this rate increase is in conformance with the filed tariffs and with the will and intent of Section 739 of the Public Utilities Code concerning lifeline rates; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Authority be granted under Sections 454, 491 and 739 of the Public Utilities Code for Rolling Green Utilities Company to place the above tariff sheets into effect for meter readings taken on or after December 1, 1977.

2. The above tariff sheets be marked to show that they were issued under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-2169. 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 S'ate of California, held on the 29th day of <u>November</u>, 19.77, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: