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RESOLUTION NO. 2188

RESOLUTION

UTILITIES DIVISION  
BRANCH/SECTION: Gas  
DATE: January 31, 1978

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

WHEREAS: Southern California Gas Company, by Advice Letter No. 1115, filed January 9, 1978 has requested Commission approval under the provisions of Decision No. 85189, to supply additional natural gas in excess of 50 Mcfd to Cal-Tuf Glass Corporation. (Applicant) in Alhambra, Los Angeles County under the following circumstances:

1. Applicant's request is for an additional peak daily consumption of 52 Mcf, raising his existing peak daily consumption from 39 Mcf to 91 Mcf.
2. Applicant will use this additional gas in existing heat treating furnaces to increase production of tempered glass.
3. Fuel oil cannot be used in this application due to the close flame control required, and the danger of product contamination from fuel oil combustion.
4. Solar equipment is not practicable for this operation due to the high temperatures required (1420°F) for ten hours each day, and the fact that Applicant will use existing furnaces on a schedule that may not coincide with the variable availability of solar energy.
5. Applicant meets the criteria for FPC Priority 2 classification (Docket No. RP72-6).
6. We find that this request should be granted and that the Applicant should be classified in Priority 1 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 Cal-Tuf Glass Corporation effective February 8, 1978.
2. The above advice letter be marked to show that it was accepted for filing by Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. G-2188. 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 31st day of January, 1978, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon: