

(R-89-1412)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 272743

ADOPTED ON JAN 23 1989

WHEREAS, the proposed merger of Southern California Edison and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) has stimulated considerable interest and concern about the procedures which apply to the acquisition of a public utility, specifically, the lack of public input; and

WHEREAS, the proposed merger has further generated interest by the San Diego County Water Authority in expanding its service to provide power and gas which currently is not authorized by the Water Authority Act; and

WHEREAS, were the County Water Authority to acquire SDG&E, currently there is no requirement for the authority to reimburse local agencies for the lost tax revenues; and

WHEREAS, county water authorities are not currently authorized by law to issue revenue bonds in order to finance authority projects; and

WHEREAS, the bill, referred to herein as the "Stirling Bill," to be introduced on January 23, 1989 by Senator Larry Stirling, would require a majority vote of approval of an acquisition of a public utility by the voters within the service area of the public utility being acquired; and

WHEREAS, the Stirling Bill would authorize a county water authority to generate, transmit, distribute, sell or lease power and gas, to reimburse local agencies for tax revenues lost by the

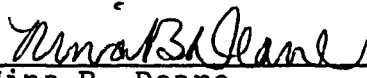
public acquisition of a utility, to finance authority projects through revenue bonds, and to authorize the San Diego County Water Authority, if it exercises any of the powers listed above, to change its name to San Diego Water and Power Authority; and

WHEREAS, the proposed law and specific discussion thereon, is more fully set forth in IRD Report No. 89-7, dated January 19, 1989; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council hereby supports and approves the bill referred to as the "Stirling Bill," to be introduced by Senator Larry Stirling on January 23, 1989 regarding public utility and county water authorities.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By

  
Nina B. Deane  
Deputy City Attorney

JK:NBD:smm  
01/23/89  
Or.Dept:Atty  
R-89-1412  
Form=r.none

JAN 23 1989

Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on.....  
by the following vote:

Council Members	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
Abbe Wolfsheimer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ron Roberts	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gloria McColl	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
H. Wes Pratt	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ed Struiksma	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
J. Bruce Henderson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judy McCarty	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bob Filner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mayor Maureen O'Connor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AUTHENTICATED BY:

MAUREEN O'CONNOR  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By *Ellen Board*, Deputy.

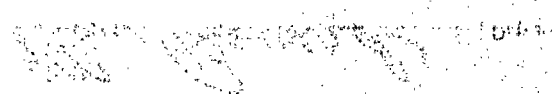
Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

Resolution Number *R-272743* Adopted JAN 23 1989

RECEIVED

89 JAN 23 AM 10:11

CITY CLERKS OFFICE  
SAN DIEGO, CA



COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE

COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE

RECEIVED BY

- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]

- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]
- Mr. [illegible]

[Faint, mostly illegible text at the bottom of the page]

#406