RC 126

March 14, 1956

Mr. V. J. Thompson, Chairman Review Committee Pacific Gas and Electric Company 245 Market Street San Francisco 6. California

Dear Mr. Thompson:

Union's members of the Review Committee wish to withdraw R.C. File No. 126, Pipe Line Operations Department Grievance No. 18 (Rejection of Bid of John R. Thomas on Job Vacancy No. 11:412, Apprentice Plant Mechanic, under Section 205.11), from the Committee's agenda.

Such withdrawal is based on Union's agreement that color-blindness was sufficient cause to reject his bid, but shall not in any way be construed as prejudicial to Union's position in the following issues:

- The age of an employee is not a criterion in the matter of determining an employee's qualifications.
- Assumptions of supervisors do not constitute sufficient proof of an employee's lack of qualifications.

Yours very truly.

Elmer B. Bushby, Secretary Review Committee

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