

BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER

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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

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IN THE MATTER OF the Utilities Commission Act SBC 1980, c. 60

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Inland Natural Gas Co. Ltd.

BEFORE: D.B. Kilpatrick,)
Commissioner; and)
J.D.V. Newlands,) November 12, 1980
Commissioner)

ORDER

WHEREAS Inland Natural Gas Co. Ltd. ("Inland") applied October 31, 1980, pursuant to Section 67(4) of the Act to amend its filed rate schedules in its Gas Tariff covering the rates to be charged for natural gas service rendered by the Company in its service area; and

WHEREAS the amendment is to permit Inland to recover an increase in the cost of natural gas purchased from its suppliers as a result of the excise tax imposed under the terms of the Government of Canada Excise Tax Act, plus related costs; and

WHEREAS the Commission has reviewed the Application and supporting material and finds that the filing of the amendments to the filed tariff rate schedules is necessary in the public interest.

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NOW THEREFORE the Commission hereby orders Inland Natural Gas Co. Ltd. as follows:

The Commission will accept for filing effective with consumption on and after November 1, 1980, subject to timely filing, amended tariff rate schedules incorporating increments necessary to enable recovery of the effect of the Federal Excise Tax on natural gas purchases, and related costs, as follows:

Third Revision of Sheet No. 58

Third Revision of Sheet No. 61

Third Revision of Sheet No. 67

Third Revision of Sheet No. 75

Third Revision of Sheet No. 82

Third Revision of Sheet No. 90

Third Revision of Sheet No. 106

Third Revision of Sheet No. 120

First Revision of Sheet No. 16-2

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this $13^{\mbox{\ensuremath{^{\prime\prime}}}}$ day of November , 1980.

BY ORDER

D. B. Kilpatick
Commissioner