

BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by ICG Utilities (Plains-Western) Ltd. - Fort St. John Division

BEFORE:

D.B. Kilpatrick, Commissioner; and J.D.V. Newlands, Commissioner

November 28, 1980

ORDER

WHEREAS ICG Utilities (Plains-Western) Ltd. Fort St. John Division ("Plains-Western") applied November 18,
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 Plains-Western 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 ICG
Utilities (Plains-Western) Ltd. - Fort St. John Division as
follows:

The Commission will accept for filing, effective with consumption on and after November 1, 1980, the following tariff rate schedules incorporating an increment of 29.7 cents per Mcf, necessary to enable recovery of the effect of the Federal Excise Tax on natural gas purchases and related costs:

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Tariff Supplement No. 1 - Third Revision of
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Tariff Supplement No. 2 - Third Revision of
 Original Sheet 2-1

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this $28^{4\alpha}$ day of November, 1980.

BY ORDER

D.B. Kilgaliich
Commissioner