



BRITISH COLUMBIA  
ENERGY COMMISSION

ORDER  
NUMBER REA-2-80

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

BRITISH COLUMBIA ENERGY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF Section 107 of  
the Power Act,

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by  
West Kootenay Power and Light  
Company, Limited for grants in aid  
of rural electrification

BEFORE: Mr. N.R. Gish, )  
Chairman; )  
Mr. R.J. Ludgate, )  
Deputy Chairman; )  
Mr. D.B. Kilpatrick, )  
Commissioner; ) March 6, 1980  
Mr. J.D. King, )  
Commissioner; and )  
Mr. F.E. Walden, )  
Commissioner )

O R D E R

WHEREAS West Kootenay Power and Light Company,  
Limited applied February 29, 1980 for the payment of a grant  
in aid of rural electrification; and

WHEREAS the Commission has reviewed the  
Application and supporting material and finds that certain  
line extensions conform to the terms of Schedule 84 of the  
Company's filed tariff, applicable to electrical line  
extensions qualifying for rural electrification assistance  
grants; and

WHEREAS the line extensions will supply electric  
power to customers in rural areas, which due to insufficient  
customers, would not otherwise receive electric service at  
reasonable rates.

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NOW THEREFORE the Commission hereby orders that the amount of \$71,152.98 be recommended for payment to West Kootenay Power and Light Company, Limited pursuant to Section 107 of the Power Act, the said amount not exceeding 50% of

- (a) the capital cost of construction and erecting primary transmission lines and cables, service transformers, secondary lines, conduits, pipes, pipe-lines, storage-tanks and meters, and
- (b) the operating expenses for the supply of power in the said rural area and designates West Kootenay Power and Light Company, Limited, being an electric utility, to receive the said payment.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1980.

BY ORDER

Chairman