

	COLUMBIA Commission
ORDER NUMBER	U-G-18-80

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BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

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IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Squamish Gas Co. Ltd.

BEFORE:

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

November 28, 1980

ORDER

WHEREAS Squamish Gas Co. Ltd. ("Squamish") applied November 17, 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 propane gas service rendered by the Company in its service area; and

WHEREAS the amendment is to permit Squamish to recover an increase in the cost of propane purchased from its supplier as a result of the excise tax imposed under the terms of the Government of Canada Excise Tax Act; and

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

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

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The Commission will accept for filing, effective with consumption on and after December 1, 1980, the following tariff rate schedule incorporating an increment of 7.9 cents per Ccf of propane gas, necessary to enable recovery of the effect of the Federal Excise Tax on purchases of liquid propane.

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DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 28 day of November, 1980.

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