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## PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

## BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

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and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Rockgas Utilities Limited

BEFORE:

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

November 28, 1980

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## ORDER

WHEREAS Rockgas Utilities Limited ("Rockgas") 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 through its grid system in the Town of Port Alice; and

WHEREAS the amendment is to permit Rockgas to recover an increase in the cost of propane purchased from its suppliers and the effect 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 Rockgas Utilities Limited as follows:

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The Commission will accept for filing effective with consumption on and after November 1, 1980 the following tariff rate schedules incorporating an increment of 32.36 cents per Ccf of propane gas, necessary to recover an increase in product cost and the effect of the Federal Excise Tax on purchases of liquid propane, plus related costs.

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