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ORDER NUMBER <u>G-28-87</u>

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IN THE MATTER OF the Utilities Commission Act, S.B.C. 1980, c. 60, as amended

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by The Corporation of the City of Nelson

BEFORE:

M. Taylor, )
Chairman; )
J.D.V. Newlands, )
Deputy Chairman; )
D.B. Kilpatrick, ) May 22, 1987
Commissioner; and )
N. Martin, )
Commissioner )

## ORDER

WHEREAS The Corporation of the City of Nelson ("City of Nelson") applied April 29, 1987 to file Electrical Utility Regulatory By-Law No. 2229, 1987 applicable to electric service rendered by City of Nelson in its service area; and

WHEREAS the amendments specified in Utility Regulatory Amendment By-Law No. 2229, 1987 are to permit the City of Nelson to decrease all customer rates, excluding the Industrial Incentive rates, by 0.31% effective as soon as possible with the traditional rate differentials applicable to customers within the City Limits and outside the City Limits being retained; and

WHEREAS the City of Nelson state that they are not obliged to refund any rate reduction to customers served within the City Limits; and

WHEREAS the City of Nelson have requested that they not be required to refund any rate reductions to customers served outside the City Limits, but in place thereof be granted approval to allocate towards capital expenditures in the rural area an equivalent amount of \$7,575; and

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WHEREAS the Commission has reviewed the Application and supporting material and finds the City of Nelson proposal to be appropriate and in the public interest.

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NOW THEREFORE the Commission hereby orders The Corporation of the City of Nelson as follows:

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- The Commission accepts for filing effective June 1, 1987, Utility Regulatory Amendment By-Law No. 2229, 1987 incorporating a general rate decrease of 0.31%.
- 2. The City of Nelson is directed to proceed with the allocation of \$7,575 towards capital expenditures in the rural area served by the City of Nelson Electrical Utility.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of

British Columbia, this

BY ORDER

day of May, 1987.

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Chairman