



BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION	
ORDER NUMBER	G-56-88

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA  
BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by  
Northland Utilities (B.C.) Limited

BEFORE:	J.G. McIntyre,	)	
	Chairman,	)	
	J.D.V. Newlands,	)	May 26, 1988
	Deputy Chairman; and	)	
	N. Martin,	)	
	Commissioner	)	

O R D E R

WHEREAS Northland Utilities (B.C.) Limited ("Northland")  
applied May 24, 1988 to amend its filed Gas Tariff Rate Schedules for its  
Tumbler Ridge Division to incorporate an interim decrease in rates to all  
customers effective June 1, 1988; and

WHEREAS the Commission has considered the matter and has  
determined that the Application shall be heard in a public forum.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

1. The Commission accepts for filing effective with  
consumption on and after June 1, 1988 on an interim  
basis, amended Gas Tariff, General Rate - Natural Gas  
Service incorporating a decrease in rates of 1.398¢/GJ.  
  
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2. A public hearing will be held commencing at 9:30 a.m. local  
time on Tuesday, July 12, 1988 at the Tumbler Ridge Inn,  
275 Southgate, P.O. Box 99, Tumbler Ridge, B.C.

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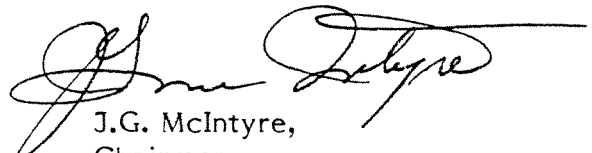
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3. Northland will arrange for publication not later than Tuesday, June 14, 1988 of a Notice of Public Hearing, as per attached copy, in one issue of the Weekly Record, Peace River Block News and other local news publications and community bulletin boards as may properly provide adequate notice to the population of Tumbler Ridge.
4. Northland is to file with the Commission not later than Friday, June 24, 1988 any additional prepared testimony and supplemental material upon which it intends to rely.
5. Interested persons intending to participate in the public hearing should give written Notice of Intention to do so to the Commission Secretary, and to the Applicant, to be received not later than Friday, June 24, 1988. Such Notice should state the nature of the interest in the proceeding.
6. Interested persons intending to file a written submission or to have questions of the Applicant should provide one copy to the Commission Secretary, and one copy to the Applicant not later than Thursday, June 30, 1988.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British  
Columbia, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1988.

BY ORDER



J.G. McIntyre,  
Chairman

Attachment



## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

### THE APPLICATION

Northland Utilities (B.C.) Limited ("Northland") applied May 24, 1988 to amend its filed Gas Tariff Rate Schedules at its Tumbler Ridge Division to incorporate a decrease in rates to all customers effective June 1, 1988.

By Commission Order No. G-56-88, the Commission has ordered a public hearing to review the Application which includes an interim decrease in rates, effective June 1, 1988.

### THE PUBLIC HEARING

The Commission has set down the Application for public hearing to commence at 9:30 a.m. local time, Tuesday, July 12, 1988 at the Tumbler Ridge Inn, 275 Southgate, P.O. Box 99, Tumbler Ridge, B.C.

### PUBLIC INSPECTION OF THE APPLICATION

The Application and supporting material are available for inspection at the offices of Northland in Tumbler Ridge, B.C. and at their Executive Offices at 10035 - 105 Street, Edmonton, Alberta.

A copy of the Application and supporting material is also available for inspection at the office of the British Columbia Utilities Commission, 4th Floor, 800 Smithe Street, Vancouver, B.C.

### INTERVENTIONS

Any person wishing to be present at the public hearing and to give evidence or cross-examine witnesses should provide written notice, to be received not later than Friday, June 24, 1988 to the Commission Secretary, and to the Applicant. The notice should include a brief statement as to the nature of the interest in the proceedings.

### SUBMISSIONS BY INTERESTED PERSONS

Any person intending to file a written submission or to make a request for additional information of the Applicant should ensure that it is received not later than Thursday, June 30, 1988, one copy to the Commission Secretary, and one copy to the Applicant.

### CLARIFICATION

Persons intending to participate in the public hearing, who are uncertain as to the manner in which to proceed, may contact R.J. Pellatt, Commission Secretary, by telephone (660-4700) collect, or in writing.

BY ORDER

R.J. Pellatt  
Commission Secretary



July 5, 1988

RECIPIENTS OF COMMISSION ORDERS

Re: Northland Utilities (B.C.) Limited  
Commission Order No. G-56-88 - May 26, 1988

Please be advised that the following information corrects an error in the above noted Commission Order concerning Northland Utilities (B.C.) Limited's 1988/89 General Rate Application - Tumbler Ridge Division:

E R R A T A

1. Clause 1 - 1.398¢/GJ should read \$1.398/GJ.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R.J. Pellatt", is written over a horizontal line.

R.J. Pellatt  
Commission Secretary

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