



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  
Pacific Northern Gas Ltd.

BEFORE: J.G. McIntyre, )  
Chairman; )  
J.D.V. Newlands, )  
Deputy Chairman; )  
N. Martin, ) April 28, 1988  
Commissioner; and )  
H.J. Page, )  
Commissioner )

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS on January 26, 1988 Pacific Northern Gas Ltd. ("PNG") applied pursuant to Section 51 of the Utilities Commission Act ("the Act") for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the construction and operation of 6.2 miles of 12 inch loop in two sections east of Terrace in the Copper River Valley; and

WHEREAS the looping project is required to provide added security of supply in event of line breaks in the Copper River area; and

WHEREAS the Commission has reviewed the application and supporting documentation and is satisfied that the construction and operation of the proposed Transmission looping is necessary for the public convenience and properly conserves the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission hereby orders Pacific Northern Gas Ltd. as follows:

1. A Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity is granted to PNG for the construction and operation of the proposed looping of the transmission line in the Copper River Valley, at an estimated cost of approximately \$4.0 million for the total project.
2. PNG is to proceed expeditiously with all necessary arrangements pertaining to the acquisition and placement into active service of the proposed transmission line.
3. PNG is required to file monthly construction progress reports detailing the bidding, awarding of contracts and capital cost expectations as the project progresses.

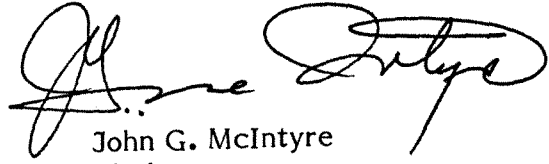
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| ORDER<br>NUMBER                          | C-2-88 |

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DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British  
Columbia, this 4th day of May, 1988.

BY ORDER

  
John G. McIntyre  
Chairman