



ORDER NUMBER

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 ICG Utilities (British Columbia) Ltd.

BEFORE:

J.D.V. Newlands, Deputy Chairman; and W.M. Swanson, Q.C., Commissioner

November 10, 1988

ORDER

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WHEREAS ICG Utilities (British Columbia) Ltd. ("ICG") applied September 6, 1988, to increase its filed Gas Tariff, General Service Rate to all customers served by the Whistler B.C. Distribution System; and

WHEREAS the increase is a result of a 10 percent increase in the cost of service margin allowed for in the contract between ICG and the Resort Municipality of Whistler dated December 6, 1985 which will account for approximately 3.8 percent increase in rates charged to customers; and

WHEREAS the Commission has considered the Application and is satisfied that the increase in gas rates is in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. Gas Tariff Whistler District, General Service Rate, Third Revision Page 40 is accepted for filing, on an interim basis, effective December 1, 1988.
- 2. ICG will notify its customers, by way of a customer bill notice. that the rates will increase on an interim basis effective December 1, 1988. If customers have concerns they must be expressed in writing to the Commission Secretary prior to January 31, 1989.
- 3. The Commission, following a review of customer concerns, will make a final determination in rates on or before February 28, 1989.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British // day of November, 1988.

Columbia, this

BY ORD D.V. Newlands

Deputy Chairman

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