

## BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER

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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 Energy Supply Contract for West Kootenay Power Ltd.

BEFORE:

J.D.V. Newlands, )
Deputy Chairman; and ) June 20, 1990
N. Martin, )
Commissioner )

## ORDER

WHEREAS amendments to the Utilities Commission Act ("the Act"), including Section 85.3, require that Energy Supply Contracts ("Contracts") between producers and consumers, be filed with the Commission for approval; and

WHEREAS West Kootenay Power Ltd. ("WKP") filed with the Commission by letter dated May 15, 1990 a fully executed Contract with Cascade Pacific Power Corporation ("CPPC") covering a ten year period commencing on or before December 15, 1990, for electric power and energy generated at CPPC's hydro-electric generating plant located on the Goat River, near Creston, B.C.; and

WHEREAS CPPC has applied to the Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources for an Exemption from Section 27 of the Act consistent with Ministerial Order M51, the approval of which is pending; and

WHEREAS the Commission has reviewed the Contract including technical requirements and rates and is satisfied that it is in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to Section 85.3 of the Act the Commission hereby orders as follows:

1. The Commission approves and accepts for filing the Contract between West Kootenay Power Ltd. and Cascade Pacific Power Corporation which is designated as Energy Supply Contract, ESC No. 3.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 2/5 day of June, 1990.

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J.D.V. Newlands Deputy Chairman

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