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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 British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority

and

Commission Order No. G-44-90

BEFORE: J.G. McIntyre, Chairman; W.M. Swanson, Q.C., Commissioner; and K.L. Hall, Commissioner

September 14, 1990

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WHEREAS by Commission Order No. G-44-90 the public hearing of the Application of British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority ("B.C. Hydro") for approval of a Standard Form Industrial Contract for bulk transmission rate customers together with Tariff Sheets for amendments to Rate Schedule 1821 General Service - Transmission and the filing of Rate Schedule 1880 - General Service Transmission - Emergency, Maintenance and Special Supply was postponed to October 16, 1990 in Vancouver, B.C.; and

WHEREAS Commission staff issued an additional information request to B.C. Hydro to which a response will be made by September 21, 1990; and

WHEREAS on September 14, 1990, at the Pre-hearing Conference, there were additional information requests made of B.C. Hydro; and

WHEREAS B.C. Hydro and various interested parties have agreed to engage in further discussions with a view to narrowing the issues; and

WHEREAS the Council of Forest Industries, The Mining Association of British Columbia and Electrochemical Producers, collectively referred to as the "Industrial Users", requested a further delay in the proceedings; and

WHEREAS the Commission has determined that an additional delay into the proceedings is necessary and in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

1. The public hearing date of the Application is further postponed to 9:00 a.m., November 19, 1990, in the Hearing Room of the B.C. Utilities Commission, 6th Floor, 900 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C.

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- 2. B.C. Hydro will advise, by way of a Notice and information package to all Registered Intervenors, Interested Parties and all Transmission Service, Rate Schedule 1821 customers that the public hearing into the Application is further postponed from October 16, 1990 and will commence on November 19, 1990 in the Commission's Hearing Room, Sixth Floor, 900 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C. B.C. Hydro is to provide all parties with a copy of Commission Order No. G-68-90.
- 3. The Industrial Users will submit their pre-filed evidence to the proceedings by October 19, 1990.
- 4. B.C. Hydro will provide its Policy Documents to all parties to the proceedings explaining the need and rationale for its proposed Facilities Agreement.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British day of September, 1990.

BY ORDER

John G. McIntyre Chairman

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