



BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER
NUMBER G-116-92

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

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by
Centra Gas British Columbia Inc.

BEFORE: M.K. Jaccard,)
Chair;)
L.R. Barr,) December 4, 1992
Deputy Chair; and)
H.J. Page,)
Commissioner)

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. On December 1, 1992, Centra Gas British Columbia Inc. ("Centra Gas") filed with the Commission for approval, amendments to Gas Tariff Rate Schedules and rates for natural gas distribution service to retail customers located on Vancouver Island and the Sunshine Coast served by the PCEC gas transmission pipeline; and
- B. On November 27, 1992 the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources ("MEMPR") advised the Commission and Centra Gas of the current retail price for fuel oil which forms the basis for natural gas rates to be charged to distribution, grid system customers, in accordance with the Consolidated Rate Stabilization Agreement, effective with consumption December 1, 1992; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the Application and finds that approval to amend rates for natural gas service is necessary and in the public interest.


NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders Centra Gas as follows:

1. The Commission approves and accepts for filing for Centra Gas, rates for natural gas service effective December 1, 1992 as follows:

Second Revision of Page 1	-	Small General Service Rate No. 1 (SGS-1)
Fourth Revision of Page 2	-	Small General Service Rate No. 2 (SGS-2)
Third Revision of Page 3	-	Large General Service Rate No. 1 (LGS-1)
Third Revision of Page 4	-	Large General Service Rate No. 2 (LGS-2)
First Revision of Page 5	-	Large General Service Rate No. 3 (LGS-3)
Fourth Revision of Page 6	-	Competitive Range Rate (CRR)
Fifth Revision of Page 7	-	Apartment/Multi-Family Dwelling Conversion Rebate (ACR)
2. Centra Gas is to inform customers of the changes to natural gas rates effective December 1, 1992.
3. The Commission Orders that future natural gas tariff rate changes that are filed by Centra Gas as a result of changes to the competitive fuel prices calculated by MEMPR, will be subject to review by Commission Staff and if acceptable, will be approved and accepted for filing.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 15th day of December, 1992.

BY ORDER


Dr. Mark K. Jaccard
Chair

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