



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

and

IN THE MATTER OF Applications by BC Gas Inc. and Commission Order No. G-63-92

BEFORE: M.K. Jaccard,)
Chair; and) September 11, 1992
L.R. Barr,)
Deputy Chair)

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. On November 20, 1991 BC Gas Inc. - Lower Mainland, Inland, Columbia and Fort Nelson Divisions ("BC Gas"), pursuant to Sections 64, 67 and 106 of the Utilities Commission Act, ("the Act") filed a Revenue Requirements Application and applied for an Order granting an interim and permanent rate increase of 3 percent, effective with consumption on and after January 1, 1992; and
B. By Order No. G-63-92 dated August 5, 1992, the Commission issued its Decision into BC Gas' November 20, 1991 Revenue Requirements Application; and
C. On September 4, 1992, BC Gas applied to the Commission pursuant to Section 114 of the Utilities Commission Act ("the Act") for a Reconsideration and Variance of the August 5, 1992 Decision and, pursuant to Section 92 of the Act, for an Extension of Time upon which to file new Gas Tariff Rate Schedules ("the Applications"); and
D. The Commission has considered the Applications and has determined that the following actions are required.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. Any Registered Intervenor or Interested Party who wishes to comment on the Applications is to file a written submission with the Commission Secretary and the Applicant no later than Monday, October 5, 1992. Written submissions should address the following:
- Should there be any reconsideration by the Commission?
- If there is to be a reconsideration should the Commission hear new evidence and should new parties be given the opportunity to present evidence?
- If there is to be a reconsideration, should it focus on the items from the BC Gas Application for Reconsideration, a subset of these items, or additional items?
2. The Applicant is to file with the Commission Secretary by no later than Monday, October 19, 1992 a written reply to any written submissions received from Registered Intervenor or Interested Parties.
3. Oral argument on the Applications and written submissions will take place commencing at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, October 26, 1992 at the Commission Hearing Room, 6th Floor, 900 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C.



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4. The Application for an Extension of Time to file the new Gas Tariff Rate Schedules is allowed and the effective date for the implementation thereof and the refund of interim rates to customers is postponed until further order.

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

BY ORDER



Dr. Mark K. Jaccard
Chair

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