



BRITISH COLUMBIA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER  
NUMBER E-6-93

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

and

An Application by BC Gas Inc.

BEFORE: M.K. Jaccard, Chair, )  
L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair, )  
F.C. Leighton, Commissioner, )  
K.L. Hall, Commissioner; and ) March 4, 1993  
H.J. Page, Commissioner )

WHEREAS:


- A. On February 5, 1993 BC Gas Inc. ("BC Gas") applied pursuant to the Commission's Rules Respecting Energy Supply Contracts ("the Rules") and Section 85.3 of the Utilities Commission Act ("the Act") for approval of Spot and Supplementary Gas Purchases and Amendments to Energy Supply Contracts previously approved by the Commission; and
- B. BC Gas entered into Spot and Supplementary Gas Purchases in January 1993 as per Appendix A attached, as a result of an extended period of cold weather which depleted peaking supplies and caused severe curtailment to Rate Schedule 10 and Rate Schedule 2501 customers; and
- C. The Commission is satisfied that the contracts between BC Gas and the suppliers for the supply of spot and supplemental gas purchases should be approved.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to Section 85.3 of the Act and the Rules thereunder, the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. The Spot and Supplementary gas purchases between BC Gas and the suppliers for gas supplies for the month of January 1993, shown in Appendix A, are approved
- 2. The amendments to BC Gas' Energy Supply Contracts, identified in Appendix A are approved.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1993.

BY ORDER

  
Dr. Mark K. Jaccard  
Chair

/dl  
Attch.

List of Supplementary Supply Contracts

<u>Supplier</u>	<u>Amendments</u>	<u>Term</u>	<u>Quantity GJ/d</u>	<u>Target Market</u>
Cancarb Limited (Dec.4/90 Contract)	Jan. 8/93	Jan.1-7	58,140	System
	Jan. 8/93	Jan.8-14	109,303	System
	Jan.25/93	Jan.15-31	27,520	System
Cancarb Limited (Nov.1/90 Contract)	Jan. 7/93	Jan.1-7	7,870	System
	Jan.25/93	Jan.8-14	7,870	System
	Jan.26/93	Jan.15-31	7,870	System
CanWest Gas Supply Inc. (Jan.1/93 Contract)	Appendix 1	Jan.8-11	10,000	Sch.13
	Appendix 2	Jan.12-15	5,000	Sch.13
	Appendix 3	Jan.16-18	10,000	Sch.13
	Appendix 4	Jan.22-25	10,000	Sch.13
Canadian Hydrocarbons Marketing Inc. (Jan.1/93 Contract)	Schedule A	Jan.2-7	4,484	Sch.13
	Schedule A	Jan.8	10,484	Both
	Schedule A	Jan.9	4,799	Sch.13
Inland Natural Gas Marketing (Jan.1/93 Contract)		Jan.11-31	1,300	Sch.13
Mobil Oil Canada (Jan.7/93 Contract)		Jan.8-12	5,275	Sch.13
Northwest Pacific Energy Marketing Inc. (Jan.1/93 Contract)	Jan. 5/93	Jan.7-9	3,693	System
	Jan.11/93	Jan.10-15	3,693	System
	Jan.12/93	Jan.12-13	15,000	System
	Jan.20/93	Jan.22-25	3,693	System
Petro-Canada (Dec.24/92 Contract)	Jan. 7/93	Jan.8-15	3,283	Sch.13
	Jan.12/93	Jan.12-15	2,638	Sch.13
Poco Petroleums Ltd. (Dec.30/92 Contract)	Schedule A	Jan.1-7	21,101	System
	Schedule A	Jan.8-11	5,275	Sch.13
	Schedule A	Jan.12-15	5,275	Sch.13
	Schedule A	Jan.13-14	3,000	Sch.13
	Schedule A	Jan.22-26	2,000	Sch.13
Unocal Canada Limited (January, 1993 Sale)	Jan.13/93	Jan.12-21	10,853	Both
	Jan.21/93	Jan.22-31	10,853	Both