

BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

An Application by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for Approval of Rate Schedule 1844 - Spill Reduction Energy Rate

BEFORE: M.K. Jaccard, Chairperson; and

L.R. Barr, Deputy Chairperson;) June 28, 1996

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On June 25, 1996 British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority ("B.C. Hydro") applied to the Commission for approval of Rate Schedule 1844 Spill Reduction Energy Rate to be applicable to all Rate Schedule 1821 Transmission Service and Rate Schedule 1848 Real Time Pricing Transmission Service customers until July 31, 1996; and
- B. The Application is a result of spill conditions at B.C. Hydro reservoirs, and is energy made available to customers who are able to increase production or turn down self generation; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the Application and finds that approval is necessary and in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. The Commission approves for B.C. Hydro, Rate Schedule 1844 Spill Reduction Energy Rate, effective immediately on a temporary basis until July 31, 1996.
- 2. B.C. Hydro is to inform all Rate Schedules 1821 and 1848 customers of the availability of Rate Schedule 1844.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 28th day of June, 1996.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

Dr. Mark K. Jaccard Chairperson