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BRITISH COLUMBIA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER  
NUMBER G-43-96

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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 Tariff Supplement - Rate Schedule 1848  
CXY Chemicals Canada Limited Partnership

**BEFORE:** M.K. Jaccard, Chairperson; and )  
L.R. Barr, Deputy Chairperson ) May 3, 1996

**O R D E R**

**WHEREAS:**

- A. On January 22, 1996 British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority ("B.C. Hydro") filed its Industrial Service Options ("ISO") Application and requested approval of Rate Schedule 1848 - Real Time Pricing ("RTP") Transmission Service (5,000 kVA and over) on an interim basis, effective January 31, 1996. The Commission reviewed the ISO Application and, by Order No. G-5-96, approved Rate Schedule 1848-RTP on an interim basis effective January 31, 1996; and
- B. On April 29, 1996 B.C. Hydro applied to the Commission for approval of an April 17, 1996 Supplementary Agreement with CXY Chemicals Canada Limited Partnership ("CXY") for access to the RTP tariff in respect of CXY's North Vancouver Chlor-Alkali plant. In both the B.C. Hydro and CXY applications a request for confidentiality of proprietary information was made; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the B.C. Hydro and CXY Agreement and finds that it satisfies the criteria contained in Rate Schedule 1848 and Commission Order No. G-5-96.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. The Commission approves, on an interim basis effective May 1, 1996, the B.C. Hydro April 29, 1996 application for approval of the April 17, 1996 Supplementary Agreement with CXY for access to the RTP tariff for its North Vancouver Chlor-Alkali plant as provided for under Rate Schedule 1848. B.C. Hydro is to file a fully executed copy of the Agreement in a timely fashion.

2. The request for confidentiality of the application letter and analysis is approved at this time and the matter will be reviewed during the public hearing on B.C. Hydro's ISO Application commencing May 13, 1996.
3. The approval of the Supplementary Agreement given by this Order will remain in effect on an interim basis for a period of up to one year from January 31, 1996 and is subject to adjustment following the Commission's hearing and Decision on B.C. Hydro's ISO Application.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 6th day of May, 1996.

BY ORDER

*Original signed by:*

Dr. Mark K. Jaccard  
Chairperson