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To: Attendees at September 12, 1995 Buy/Sell Committee Meeting
Intervenors in 1995 Buy/Sell Review Proceeding

Re: Buy/Sell Working Collaborative Committee Report

The Commission's July 7, 1995 Buy/Sell Review Decision advocated the formation of a Working Collaborative Committee to address the one year buy/sell contract. A simplified, standard form one year buy/sell contract was developed by the Committee and was approved by Order No. G-80-95. In the Decision, the Commission also suggested that the Committee review existing buy/sell forms and a number of administrative matters and report back to the Commission with its recommendations by March 1, 1996.

A meeting of the Working Collaborative Committee was held on September 12, 1995. On January 24, 1996, BC Gas filed the report of the Committee which recommended that the existing *Disclosure Statement and Appointment of Agent* form, the *ABM Code of Conduct* and the *Guide to Direct Purchase of Natural Gas* not be revised at this time. Subsequently, the Commission received a letter dated February 8, 1996 from Bennett Jones Verchere stating that Direct Energy Marketing Limited, which did not participate in the meeting, wished to record that it does not agree with the Committee's recommendations. The Commission notes that Direct Energy has not proposed any alternative recommendations.

On the basis of the foregoing, the Commission will make no changes to the existing approved buy/sell forms at this time.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Constable", is written over the typed name "Robert J. Pellatt".
Robert J. Pellatt

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