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BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION	
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IN THE MATTER OF
the Utilities Commission Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, Chapter 473

and

An Application by BC Gas Utility Ltd.
for Approval of Rate Schedule 14 Agreements with Industrial Customers

BEFORE: L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair)
and Acting Chair) November 27, 1997
K.L. Hall, Commissioner)

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. On November 17, 1997, BC Gas Utility Ltd. ("BC Gas") filed for Commission approval ten Rate Schedule 14 Sales Agreements for Term and Spot Gas Sales with industrial customers, effective for the period December 1, 1997 to October 31, 1998; and
- B. The ten sales agreements are based on the Sumas Daily Index plus a \$0.02 per GJ premium. All contracts contain a provision which will allow customers to switch to a monthly index or final price option. All prices including the fixed price option are based on reported market prices; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the filing and finds that the Rate Schedule 14 Sales Agreements are required to be approved.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission approves for BC Gas the ten Rate Schedule 14 Sales Agreements, for the 1997/98 gas contract year, commencing December 1, 1997, as contained in the BC Gas filing dated November 17, 1997, subject to timely filing of the fully executed Sales Agreements in standard Tariff Supplement format.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 10th day of December, 1997.

BY ORDER

Lorna R. Barr
Deputy Chair
and Acting Chair