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Dear Interested Party:

Re: British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority
Wholesale Transmission Services Application

By way of letter dated February 17, 1997, the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority ("B.C. Hydro") submitted its Wholesale Transmission Services Application. This Application is a response to several determinations made by the Commission in its June 25, 1996 Decision upon this topic.

In its letter B.C. Hydro has asked for the following:

- interim approval of Tariff Supplement No. 30, containing the proposed Terms and Conditions;
- interim approval of Interim Rate Schedule 3001 for Transmission Service calculated using the existing approved Transmission Revenue Requirement filed in September 1996;
- interim approval of Interim Rate Schedules 3002-3005 for unbundled Ancillary Services, calculated on a cost-basis, using existing, approved transmission revenue requirement filed in September 1996;
- immediate cancellation of Rate Schedule 3000 Network Service.

The Commission requests your views as to the appropriateness of interim approval. Comments should be filed with the Commission no later than close of business, Friday, March 7, 1997. After the comments are received, B.C. Hydro will be given one week to reply. After both the comments and the reply are received, the Commission will make its determination on this matter.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Pellatt", written over a horizontal line.

Robert J. Pellatt

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cc: Mr. David A. Harrison, Senior Vice President
Corporate & Financial Affairs and Chief Financial Officer
British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority

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