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

and

An Application by Centra Gas British Columbia Inc. for Approval to Amend Natural Gas Rates to Pioneer Customers

BEFORE:	L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair and Acting Chair)	November 20, 1997
	K.L. Hall, Commissioner F.C. Leighton, Commissioner)	100000001 20, 1997

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On November 14, 1997 Centra Gas British Columbia Inc. ("Centra Gas") filed for Commission approval, pursuant to Section 60 of the Utilities Commission Act, Special Direction by Order in Council No. 1510, 1995, and under the terms of the Vancouver Island Natural Gas Pipeline Act, an application to amend its schedule of rates to natural gas customers located on Vancouver Island and the Sunshine Coast; and
- B. Centra Gas advised that Rate Rider B, approved by Order No. G-62-97, should be terminated for the Large General Service ("LGS") One and Two classes of customers effective December 1, 1997, because the full recovery of the deferred revenue from these customers has substantially occurred; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the November 14, 1997 application and finds that approval of the December 1, 1997 termination of Rate Rider B for LGS-1 and LGS-2 customers is necessary and in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. The termination of Rate Rider B for LGS-1 and LGS-2 customers, effective December 1, 1997, is approved.
- 2. Centra Gas is to advise all affected customers of the termination of Rate Rider B, effective December 1, 1997, by way of customer notice.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 27th day of November, 1997.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

Lorna R. Barr Deputy Chair and Acting Chair