



BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

An Application by West Kootenay Power Ltd.
for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
for Approval of Access Road Improvements at the Corra Linn Generating Plant

BEFORE: L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair)
P.G. Bradley, Commissioner) July 15, 1999
B.L. Clemenhagen, Commissioner)

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS:

- A. The Commission, by Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") Order No. C-3-99, approved for West Kootenay Power Ltd. ("WKP") the Life Extension Project at the Corra Linn Generating Plant ("the Plant") estimated to cost \$7,700,000; and
- B. On July 7, 1999, WKP applied to the Commission for approval of a CPCN to improve road access to the Plant and to provide for the safe delivery of major components and work crews and estimates the cost of the improvement at \$397,000; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the cost, timing and justification for the access road improvement and finds that it should be approved.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to Section 45 of the Utilities Commission Act a CPCN is granted to WKP to proceed with access road improvements at the Corra Linn Generating Plant for a total estimated cost of \$397,000.
- 2. WKP is to file with the Commission an accounting or final project report and summary on completion of the project.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 26th day of July 1999.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

Lorna R. Barr
Deputy Chair