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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 Centra Gas British Columbia Inc.
for Approval of an Amendment to a Baseload Natural Gas Supply Contract

BEFORE: P. Ostergaard, Chair)
L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair) August 5, 1999
B.L. Clemenhagen, Commissioner)

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. On July 19, 1999, Centra Gas British Columbia Inc. ("Centra Gas") filed with the Commission a pricing amendment to the Talisman Energy Inc. ("Talisman") Baseload Natural Gas Purchase Contract dated April 30, 1991, for the 1999/2000 gas contract year; and
- B. The Commission has reviewed the Letter Agreement and is satisfied that the pricing amendment to the baseload contract is necessary and in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to Section 71 of the Utilities Commission Act and the Rules for Energy Supply Contracts for Natural Gas, the Commission accepts for filing for Centra Gas a Letter Agreement dated June 28, 1999 with Talisman which amends the pricing of the April 30, 1991 Baseload Natural Gas Purchase Agreement for the 1999/2000 gas contract year.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 13th day of August 1999.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

Lorna R. Barr
Deputy Chair