



BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION	
ORDER NUMBER	G-36-99

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

and

The Special Direction to the British Columbia Utilities Commission  
by the Lieutenant Governor in Council through  
Order in Council 1510, dated December 13, 1995

and

An Application by Centra Gas British Columbia Inc.  
for Approval of New Customer Rate Schedules and an Industrial Gas Sales Agreement

**BEFORE:** P. Ostergaard, Chair )  
L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair ) March 25, 1999  
F.C. Leighton, Commissioner )  
K.L. Hall, Commissioner )

**O R D E R**

**WHEREAS:**

- A. On March 15, 1999, Centra Gas British Columbia Inc. ("Centra Gas") applied for approval of three new Large General Service ("LGS") rate classes and an Industrial Gas Sales Agreement, pursuant to Section 60(1) of the Utilities Commission Act and the Special Direction issued by the Lieutenant Governor in Council through Order in Council No. 1510, dated December 13, 1995; and
- B. The Centra Gas application proposed that three new LGS rate schedules for service to customers with high load factor profiles similar to that of West Coast Reductions Ltd. ("WCRL") be approved effective March 1, 1999; and
- C. The Industrial Gas Sales Agreement with WCRL provides for service under LGS-20, LGS-25 and LGS-26, with the major gas loads taken during the system off-peak times of April through September; and
- D. The Commission has reviewed the Centra Gas application and finds that its approval is required.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Commission orders as follows:

1. The Commission approves for Centra Gas the addition of the following New Customer rate schedules effective March 1, 1999:

Original Page 75	High Load Factor Rate – LGS-20
Original Blank Tariff Pages 76-79	
Original Page 80	Unauthorized Over-Run Rate – LGS-25
Original Pages 81, 82	Authorized Over-Run Rate – LGS-26

2. The Commission approves for Centra Gas the December 23, 1998 Industrial Gas Sales Agreement with WCRL effective March 1, 1999.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1999.

BY ORDER

*Original signed by:*

Peter Ostergaard  
Chair