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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 West Kootenay Power Ltd.  
for Approval of the Waneta Management Amending Agreement

**BEFORE:** P. Ostergaard, Chair )  
L.R. Barr, Deputy Chair ) September 16, 1999  
B.L. Clemenhagen, Commissioner )

**O R D E R**

**WHEREAS:**

- A. The Commission, by Order No. E-7-96, approved for West Kootenay Power Ltd. ("WKP") the Waneta Management Agreement under which WKP maintained, operated and managed certain Cominco Ltd. facilities including the Waneta hydro-electric plant, switching stations, substations and transmission lines effective May 1996; and
- B. On August 12, 1999, WKP applied to the Commission for approval of the Waneta Management Amending Agreement ("the Amending Agreement") which changes the method of WKP corporate overhead recovery from Cominco effective January 1, 1998; and
- C. The Commission has considered the Amending Agreement and is satisfied that approval is necessary and in the public interest.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Commission approves for WKP the January 1, 1998 Waneta Management Amending Agreement.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1999.

BY ORDER

*Original signed by:*

Peter Ostergaard  
Chair