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# BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION Order Number **F-11-01**

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

and

An Application by the British Columbia Public Interest Advocacy Centre for a Participant Assistance Cost Award regarding the West Kootenay Power Ltd. [now known as UtiliCorp Networks Canada (British Columbia) Ltd.] Application to Sell Its Generation Assets

<b>BEFORE:</b>	P. Ostergaard, Chair	)	
	B.L. Clemenhagen, Commissioner	)	November 14, 2001

## ORDER

### WHEREAS:

- A. On October 31, 2001, the British Columbia Public Interest Advocacy Centre ("BCPIAC") applied for a cost award for their participation in the West Kootenay Power Ltd. ("WKP"), now known as UtiliCorp Networks Canada (British Columbia) Ltd. ("UNC"), Application to Sell Its Generation Assets; and
- B. The Commission has determined that BCPIAC's participation in the WKP/UNC proceeding warrants reimbursement in accordance with the Commission's approved guidelines; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the application with regard to the criteria and rates set out in Commission Order No. G-23-01.

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

- 1. Pursuant to Section 118(1) of the Utilities Commission Act, the Commission awards funds to BCPIAC in the amount of \$47,736.49 for participating in the WKP/UNC proceeding.
- 2. WKP/UNC is directed to reimburse BCPIAC for the total amount awarded in a timely fashion.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 2001.

## BY ORDER

Original signed by:

Peter Ostergaard Chair