#### BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

Applications for Participant Assistance/Cost Award Funding in an Application by Terasen Energy Marketing Inc. for a Gas Marketer Licence

**BEFORE:** 

L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner AW.K. Anderson, Commissioner

September 20, 2007

# ORDER

# WHEREAS:

- A. On September 4, 2007, the British Columbia Public Interest Advocacy Centre submitted an application for Participant Assistance/Cost Award ("PACA") funding in the amount of \$1,908.00 including GST on behalf of its client, the BC Old Age Pensioners Organization *et al.* ("BCOAPO"); and
- B. On September 5, 2007, the Commission requested Terasen Energy Marketing Inc. ("TEM") to provide comments on the BCOAPO's request for a PACA award; and
- C. On September 18, 2007 TEM replied to the Commission that it did not oppose the PACA application; and
- D. The Commission Panel has reviewed the PACA application with regard to the criteria and rates set out in the Guidelines in Commission Order No. G-15-04 and has determined that the requested funding should be approved for the BCOAPO.

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

- 1. Pursuant to Section 118(1) of the Utilities Commission Act, the Commission awards funds to BCOAPO in the amount of \$1,908.00 including GST.
- 2. TEM is directed provide the PACA in the amount of \$1,908.00 including GST to the BCOAPO in a timely manner.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of S

day of September 2007.

# BY ORDER

Original signed by

L.F. Kelsey Commissioner