

**BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**ORDER
NUMBER** G-143-08



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

and

**Terasen Gas (Vancouver Island) Inc.
2008 Settlement Update Meeting**

BEFORE: A.A. Rhodes, Commissioner
P.E. Vivian, Commissioner September 25, 2008

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. On August 19, 2008 Terasen Gas (Vancouver Island) Inc. ("TGVI") proposed a regulatory timetable for its 2008 Settlement Update Meeting that included a filing of Settlement Update Materials by October 8, 2008, a Settlement Update Meeting on November 7, 2008 and an anticipated Commission Decision by December 12, 2008; and
- B. Commission Order G-126-05 approved for TGVI the Negotiated Settlement Agreement for the 2006-2007 Revenue Requirements. Subsequently, Commission Order G-34-07 approved a two-year extension of the 2006-2007 Revenue Requirement Negotiated Settlement Agreement terms for 2008 and 2009; and
- C. The terms of the two year extension provide for the continuation of the annual Settlement Update Meeting; and
- D. TGVI has also considered the timetable for the Terasen Gas Inc. ("TGI") 2008 Annual Review, recognizing that many TGI Annual Review stakeholders will be involved in both processes. TGI and TGVI propose a combined timetable and a joint TGI 2008 Annual Review / TGVI 2008 Settlement Update Meeting; and
- E. The Commission has reviewed the TGVI submission and considers that the establishment of a regulatory timetable for the TGVI 2008 Settlement Update Meeting is warranted.

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NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

1. The Commission will hold the TGV I 2008 Settlement Update Meeting to review TGV I's operations through 2008 and 2009 Revenue Requirement Material commencing at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, November 7, 2008 in the Commission Hearing Room, 12th Floor - 1125 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C. The TGV I 2008 Settlement Update Meeting will be held jointly with the TGI 2008 Annual Review.
2. No later than Wednesday, October 8, 2008, TGV I is to provide interested parties and the Commission with advance information regarding the projections and forecasts to be presented at the TGV I 2008 Settlement Update Meeting. TGV I is to provide copies of the Settlement Update Materials to all parties who participated in the 2006-2007 Revenue Requirements Negotiated Settlement process, 2007 Settlement Update Meeting and/or Extension of the 2006-2007 Negotiated Settlement Agreement Terms for 2008-2009.
3. Those persons wishing to participate in the TGV I 2008 Settlement Update Meeting are to advise the Commission Secretary in writing of their intention to do so, no later than Wednesday, October 29, 2008.
4. The deadlines for information requests, undertakings, responses, and comments on the TGV I 2008 Settlement Update Material are set out in the Regulatory Timetable attached as Appendix A to this Order.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 25th day of September 2008.

BY ORDER

Original signed by

A.A. Rhodes
Commissioner

Attachment

**Terasen Gas (Vancouver Island) Inc.
2008 Settlement Update Meeting**

REGULATORY TIMETABLE

ACTION

DATE 2008

Terasen Gas Inc. ("TGI") files its 2008 Annual Review Material and Terasen Gas Vancouver Island Inc. ("TGVI") files its 2008 Settlement Update Material	Wednesday, October 8
BCUC and Participants Information Requests issued to TGI and TGVI	Wednesday, October 22
Participants to advise the Commission Secretary of their interest in attending the Joint TGI 2008 Annual Review / TGVI 2008 Settlement Update Meeting	Wednesday, October 29
TGI and TGVI responses to Information Requests	Monday, November 3
Joint TGI 2008 Annual Review / TGVI 2008 Settlement Update Meeting	Friday, November 7
TGI and TGVI responses to Undertakings from Joint TGI 2008 Annual Review / TGVI 2008 Settlement Update Meeting	Wednesday, November 19
Participants Comments to TGI and TGVI	Wednesday, November 26
TGI and TGVI Reply Comments	Wednesday, December 3
Anticipated Commission Decisions	Friday, December 12

Location and Time of joint TGI 2008 Annual Review / TGVI 2008 Update Meeting:

Date: Friday, November 7, 2008
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: Commission Hearing Room
12th Floor - 1125 Howe Street
Vancouver, B.C.