

## LETTER L-22-11

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PNG-WEST 2011 REVENUE REQUIREMENTS EXHIBIT A-10

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Mr. Craig P. Donohue Director, Regulatory Affairs & Gas Supply Pacific Northern Gas Ltd. Suite 950, 1185 West Georgia Street Vancouver, BC V6E 4E6

Dear Mr. Donohue:

Re: Pacific Northern Gas Ltd. Project No. 3698611/G-182-10 2011 Revenue Requirements Application and Consolidated Gas Sales Tariff Application

In response to Pacific Northern Gas Ltd.'s (PNG) filing of Exhibit B-9 in the above proceeding, the Commission Panel is not satisfied that the response provided is sufficient information for a transparent review of PNG's proposed Consolidated Gas Tariffs.

The Commission Panel notes that Staff's Information Request (IR) No. 1.1 in Exhibit A-6, specifically seeks a side-by-side comparison of PNG's existing wording to the proposed wording for each section of the tariffs. An explanation to the nature and effect on the customer was also requested. The Commission Panel does not believe that the response filed as Exhibit B-9 appropriately addresses the information requested. The Panel is concerned that customers who do not have access to PNG's existing tariffs would be able to clearly understand the impact of the wording changes without this comparative information. In addition, the Panel does not believe that a black-line version of FortisBC Energy's Tariff is sufficient since each utility operates under a different service area with a different customer base and customer concerns.

The Commission Panel also notes that PNG was granted ample time to provide the requested information as the timetable for response to IR No. 1 was extended from February 25 to March 4 in L-6-11 and PNG subsequently filed the completed response on March 17, 2011.

The Commission Panel directs PNG to file the required information by April 8, 2011. The Regulatory Timetable is amended and attached as Appendix A to this letter to accommodate for a second round of IRs upon receipt of this information.

Yours truly,

Erica M. Hamilton

YD/cms Attachment cc: Registered Interveners (PNGW-2011RR-RI)

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## Application for Approval of Consolidated Gas Sales Tariff for Pacific Northern Gas Ltd.-West Service Area

## AMENDED REGULATORY TIMETABLE for the Cosolidated Gas Sales Tariff

DATES (2011)
Friday, April 8
Friday, April 15
Friday, April 29
Monday, May 9
Wednesday, May 18