



BRITISH COLUMBIA ENERGY COMMISSION	
ORDER NUMBER	C-25-80

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
BRITISH COLUMBIA ENERGY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF the Energy Act,
RSBC 1979, c. 108

and

IN THE MATTER OF an Application by
Pacific Northern Gas Ltd.

BEFORE:	R. Smith,	)	
	Deputy Chairman;	)	
	D. B. Kilpatrick,	)	September 10, 1980
	Commissioner; and	)	
	J. D. V. Newlands,	)	
	Commissioner	)	

O R D E R

WHEREAS Pacific Northern Gas Ltd. ("Pacific Northern") applied September 10, 1980 for an exemption from Section 30 of the Act with regard to the facilities required to provide service to a methanol plant located near Kitimat, British Columbia; and

WHEREAS Pacific Northern has a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity dated December 5, 1966 authorizing it to inter alia build and operate a natural gas line to Kitimat; and

WHEREAS Pacific Northern have estimated the cost of the additional facilities to be approximately \$28,000,000; and

WHEREAS the Commission has considered the matter and has determined that public convenience and necessity require the construction and operation of the facilities.

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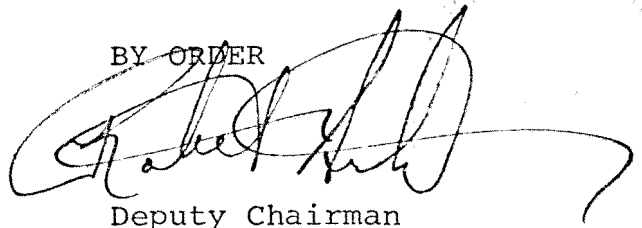
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NOW THEREFORE the Commission hereby orders as follows:

1. An exemption from Section 30 of the Act is granted to Pacific Northern provided that the following conditions are met:
 - (a) Satisfactory financing is arranged.
 - (b) A fully compensatory tariff is negotiated with the British Columbia Petroleum Corporation and is accepted for filing by the Commission.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 10th day of September, 1980.

BY ORDER



Deputy Chairman