BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION



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AN ORDER IN THE MATTER OF the Utilities Commission Act, S.B.C. 1980, c. 60, as amended

and

An Application by BC Gas Utility Ltd. for Approval of its 1996, 1997 and 1998 Revenue Requirements

BEFORE:

M.K. Jaccard, Chairperson; and)

L.R. Barr, Deputy Chairperson)

June 22, 1995

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On June 19, 1995 BC Gas Utility Ltd. ("BC Gas") filed with the Commission a Letter of Intent to file a three-year Revenue Requirements Application ("the Application") for the test years 1996 to 1998 effective January 1, 1996; and
- B. The Commission, in its desire to expedite issues relating to the Application, requires that a timetable and a process for dealing with the issues be established.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. The Commission will hold a Pre-Hearing Conference on BC Gas' proposed Application on July 20, 1995 commencing at 8:30 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room. The Conference will address procedural matters which will include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - scheduling;
 - completeness of the Application;
 - identification of principal issues;
 - process;
 - location(s) of the hearings; and
 - other matters that will enable the hearing to efficiently cover and review all aspects of the Application.

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- 2. BC Gas is to file the proposed Application at least ten days prior to the Pre-Hearing Conference.
- 3. Interested parties who would like to receive a copy of the Application should immediately request a copy from BC Gas and to inform the Commission, in writing, of their intention to attend the Pre-Hearing Conference.
- 4. Following the results of the Pre-Hearing Conference, the Commission will issue a Notice of Public Hearing.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 22 day of June, 1995.

BY ORDER

Dr. Mark K. Jaccard

Chairperson