



BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

A Filing by Centra Gas British Columbia Inc.
of a Baseload Natural Gas Supply Contract for 2001/02 Gas Contract Year

BEFORE: P. Ostergaard, Chair)
B.L. Clemenhagen, Commissioner) October 11, 2001

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. On September 26, 2001, Centra Gas British Columbia Inc. ("Centra Gas") filed with the Commission a September 17, 2001 Letter Agreement Confirmation with Coral Energy Canada Inc. ("Coral") for baseload gas supplies for the 2001/02 gas contract year; and
- B. The Coral Agreement provides for the delivery of natural gas at Westcoast Energy Inc.'s Station 2 for 5,000 GJ per day for the period November 1, 2001 through October 31, 2004, at current prices based on the AECO Index plus a premium for the gas contract year commencing November 1, 2001 and ending October 31, 2002; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed the Letter Agreement Confirmation and is satisfied that the baseload contract is necessary and in the public interest.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to Section 71 of the Utilities Commission Act and the Rules for Energy Supply Contracts, the Commission accepts for filing for Centra Gas the September 17, 2001 Letter Agreement Confirmation with Coral for the purchase of 5,000 GJ/day for the 2001/02 gas contract year. The Commission accepts Centra Gas' request to maintain the gas pricing information and Letter Agreement Confirmation as confidential.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 16th day of October 2001.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

Peter Ostergaard
Chair