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**BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**ORDER
NUMBER G-53-05**

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

and

**An Application by Terasen Gas Inc.
for Approval of Amendment and Restatement of Tariff Supplement No. I-6
with Northwest Natural Gas Company**

BEFORE: L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner
L.A. Boychuk, Commissioner June 2, 2005

O R D E R

WHEREAS:

- A. Commission Order No. G-9-03 approved a Firm Transportation Service Agreement between BC Gas Utility Ltd. (now Terasen Gas Inc., "Terasen Gas") and Northwest Natural Gas Company ("NW Natural") dated January 13, 2003 as Tariff Supplement No. I-6, effective November 1, 2004; and
- B. Commission Order No. G-89-03 approved a new cover page to Tariff Supplement No. I-6 that recognized the change of name from BC Gas Utility Ltd. to Terasen Gas; and
- C. By letter dated March 16, 2005, Terasen Gas requested Commission approval of the Amendment and Restatement of Firm Transportation Service Agreement with NW Natural dated February 14, 2005, as Tariff Supplement No. I-6, effective November 1, 2004 (the "Application"); and
- D. The amendment and restatement will change the billing and payment dates in the Firm Transportation Service Agreement so as to match the terms of other NW Natural contracts. The Agreement has also been amended to fully reflect the name change to Terasen Gas; and
- E. The Commission has reviewed the Application and considers that it should be approved.

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NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

1. Pursuant to Section 61 of the Utilities Commission Act, the Commission approves for Terasen Gas the Amendment and Restatement of Firm Transportation Service Agreement with NW Natural dated February 14, 2005, as Tariff Supplement No. I-6, effective November 1, 2004.
2. The Commission will continue to hold the Demand Charge Determination identified as Exhibit A of Tariff Supplement No. I-6 confidential.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 3rd day of June 2005.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

L.F. Kelsey