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

and

An Application by Sun Peaks Utilities Co., Ltd. for filing a Propane Supply Agreement

BEFORE: L.F. Kelsey, Chair

P.E. Vivian Commissioner October 23, 2008

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. By Order E-8-07 dated April 20, 2007, the British Columbia Utilities Commission ("the Commission") accepted a propane supply agreement amendment dated March 16, 2007 between MP Energy Partnership ("MP Energy") and Terasen Utility Services Inc. that extended the agreement for the supply of liquid propane to Sun Peaks Utilities Co., Ltd. ("SPUCL") for the period April 1, 2007 through March 31, 2008; and
- B. On September 16, 2008 SPUCL applied for acceptance for filing of a Propane Supply Agreement between MP Energy and Terasen Energy Services Inc. ("TESI") dated June 3, 2008 for the supply of liquid propane to SPUCL for the period April 1, 2008 to March 31, 2010 (the "Agreement"); and
- C. SPUCL states that it intends to implement a price hedging strategy for a portion of its propane supply; and
- D. The Commission has reviewed the SPUCL submission, and has determined that the Agreement should be accepted for filing.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to section 71 of the Utilities Commission Act, the Commission accepts the Agreement for filing and requests that SPUCL file a report by November 28, 2008 with the Commission that confirms the propane price paid for the hedged component of the winter propane supply. The Commission will hold information specific to the Agreement confidential.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 23rd day of October 2008.

BY ORDER

Original signed by: L.F. Kelsey Commissioner