



**BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**ORDER
NUMBER G-34-12**

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

and

An Application by Corix Multi Utility Services Inc.
for Approval to Decrease the Gas Cost Recovery Charge
for Propane Service at Panorama Mountain Resort

BEFORE: L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner
D. Morton, Commissioner
R.D. Revel, Commissioner

March 15, 2012

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On March 12, 2012, Corix Multi Utility Services Inc. (Corix) applied (the Application) to the British Columbia Utilities Commission (Commission) to change the Gas Cost Recovery Charge (GCR Charge) for Propane Service at Panorama Mountain Resort, effective April 1, 2012;
- B. The Application sought approval to decrease the GCR Charge for Panorama Mountain Resort from \$20.180 to \$15.743 per gigajoule (GJ) effective April 1, 2012, to reflect a forecast decrease in the cost of propane;
- C. Corix has revised the estimated Gas Cost Reconciliation Account credit balance as at March 31, 2012, to be \$66,859 and proposes to refund this amount in rates by March 31, 2013;
- D. The proposed rate would result in a \$155 per year or 14.3 percent decrease in the annual bill of a typical residential customer and a 16.6 percent decrease in the annual bill of a typical commercial customer;
- E. The Commission has reviewed the submissions by Corix and has determined that the proposed rate decrease is appropriate and reasonable.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to section 61(4) of the *Utilities Commission Act*, the Commission approves a decrease in the Gas Cost Recovery Charge for Panorama Mountain Resort from \$20.180 to \$15.743 per GJ effective April 1, 2012. Corix will inform all customers affected by the rate change.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 16th day of March 2012.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:
D. Morton
Commissioner