

IN THE MATTER OF the *Public Utilities Act*
Revised Statutes of Yukon, 2002, c. 186, as amended

and

**Requested Approvals from Yukon Energy Corporation (YEC) for
Final Rate Schedule 39 and Application of Rate Rider J and Rate Rider F
to Rate Schedule 35**

BEFORE: W. Shanks, Chair) September 16, 2008
 R. Laking, Vice-Chair)
 R. Hancock)
 J. Woodland)
 K. Avery)

BOARD ORDER 2008-10

WHEREAS:

- A. On August 25, 2008, YEC filed with the Yukon Utilities Board (Board), consistent with OIC 2007/94 and Board Order 2007-6, a request for an Order approving as final Rate Schedule 39 (see attachment) and a further Order confirming that Riders J and R do not apply to Rate Schedule 35.

- B. The Board has reviewed the request from YEC and has determined that a written process be followed.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board orders that:

- 1. YEC shall respond to the attached information requests (Attachment 1) by September 19, 2008.
- 2. Interested parties may provide comments to the Board by September 23, 2008.
- 3. Final reply from YEC shall be received by the Board by September 25, 2008.

DATED at the City of Whitehorse, Yukon, the 16th day of September 2008.

BY ORDER



Wendy Shanks
Chair

Attachment 1: Yukon Utilities Board Information Requests to YEC

YUB-YEC-1

Reference: YEC Request, August 25, 2008 – Attachment A

Issue/Sub-Issue: Amended PPA

Preamble: Under part (c) of the Rate section of Rate Schedule 39, reference is made to an amending date of May 25, 2007

Request:

- (a) OIC 2007/94 and Board Order 2007-6 make no mention of this amendment. Please provide a copy of the fully amended agreement.
- (b) Please explain all differences from the May 25, 2007, version of the PPA and the previously approved May 14, 2008, version of the PPA.
- (c) Has the May 25, 2007, version of the PPA been approved by the Board? If yes, then please provide a copy of the Board Order.
- (d) Is YEC of the view that the OIC needs to be changed to conform with the requested Rate Schedule 39 submitted as Attachment A?

YUB-YEC-2

Reference: OIC 2007/94

Request:

- (a) OIC 2007/94 refers to escalation of demand and energy charges and to the adjustment of the fixed charge. How does YEC propose to submit these changes in the future?
- (b) Is YEC of the view that the sections entitled “Escalation of demand and energy charges” and “Adjustment of fixed charge” that are part of the attached Schedule A of OIC 2007/94 should not be a part of final Rate Schedule 39? Please explain.

YUB-YEC-3

Reference: Rider R

Request:

- (a) Please confirm that with respect to Rate 35, all references to Rider F are intended to reference Rider R.
- (b) Please provide an update of the status of the audit and control measures and reporting measures under Section 3.5 of the amended PPA. Have there been any proposals in regard to these measures?