

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

and

**An Application by Yukon Energy Corporation (YEC)
for approval of Rate Schedule 39
Escalation of Demand and Energy Charges per OIC 2007/94**

BEFORE: B. McLennan, Chair) December 23, 2010
 B. Laking)
 R. Hancock)
 J. Woodland)
 K. Avery)

BOARD ORDER 2010-12

WHEREAS:

- A. On November 30, 2010, Yukon Energy Corporation (YEC, or the Company) filed an application with the Yukon Utilities Board (Board) seeking an Order from the Board for approval of amendments to Rate Schedule 39;
- B. OIC 2007/94 provides for escalation of demand and energy charges, once per calendar year, starting January 1, 2010, based on the latest percentage increase in the 12-month implicit chain price index for gross domestic product at market prices for Canada as reported by statistics Canada;
- C. The existing Rate Schedule 39 was approved in Board Order 2008-13, pursuant to OIC 2007/94. In the proceeding that resulted in that Board Order, YEC committed to file for approval of the Board any changes to this rate schedule arising from the escalation of demand and energy charges under the OIC; and
- D. YEC submits that the most recent data available from statistics Canada is for the third quarter of 2010 and based on that latest data there is a requirement pursuant to OIC 2007/94 to escalate the demand and energy charges for Rate Schedule 39 by 2.8%, for rates effective January 1, 2011.

NOW THEREFORE the Board orders as follows:

1. The Board considers a written process to be appropriate for this proceeding.
2. The following process schedule is proposed for this Rate Schedule 39 Amendment proceeding:

Action	Date
Intervenors register with the Board	January 17, 2011
Information Requests to YEC	January 31, 2011
Information Responses from YEC	February 14, 2011
Argument	February 23, 2011
Reply Argument	March 2, 2011

3. No later than January 7, 2011, YEC will arrange for publication in display-ad format a Notice of Application as per the attached copy, in such appropriate local news publications in the service area of the company so as to provide adequate notice to the public.
4. The Application and supporting material are to be made available for inspection at the Head Office of Yukon Energy Corporation, Whitehorse Hydro Dam, Robert Service Way and at the District Offices located at Mayo, Faro and Dawson, Yukon.

The application and supporting material are also available for inspection at the office of the Yukon Utilities Board, 19-1114 First Avenue, Whitehorse, Yukon.

5. YEC is to distribute copies of the Application and any supplemental information to all interested parties that were registered in its 2008-09 GRA (Phase II) proceeding as well as any new Intervenors as they become registered with the Board in this proceeding.

DATED at the City of Whitehorse, in the Yukon Territory, the 23rd day of December 2010.

BY ORDER



Bruce McLennan
Chair

YUKON UTILITIES BOARD NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Written Proceeding

On November 30, 2010, Yukon Energy Corporation (YEC) filed an application with the Yukon Utilities Board (Board) seeking an Order from the Board for approval of amendments to Rate Schedule 39. The Board has determined that a written proceeding is appropriate to review the application.

Schedule of Proceeding

The Board has established a schedule for this proceeding. The Board recognizes this is a compressed schedule. The Board will seek to apply an expedited schedule for dealing with any motions that may arise in this proceeding due to the limited scope of issues, subject to the merit of the motion and the specific issue at hand. The Board will not distribute an issues list for this proceeding as the issues for consideration are limited to the proposed amendments to this single rate schedule. The schedule for this proceeding is as follows:

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Public Inspection of the Application

The Application and supporting documents are available for inspection at the following locations:

Yukon Energy Corporation

Head Office: Whitehorse Hydro Dam
Robert Service Way

District Offices: Mayo, Yukon
Faro, Yukon
Dawson City, Yukon

A copy of the Application and supporting documents are also available for inspection at the office of the Yukon Utilities Board at 19-1114 First Avenue, Whitehorse, Yukon.

A copy of the Application and supporting documents are posted on the Yukon Utilities Board's website at <http://yukonutilitiesboard.yk.ca>

Clarification

Persons intending to participate, and who are uncertain as to the manner in which to proceed, may contact Ms. Deana Lemke, Executive Secretary of the Yukon Utilities Board, by telephone at 867-667-5058 or in writing at Box 31728, Whitehorse Yukon, Y1A 6L3, by e-mail to yub@utilitiesboard.yk.ca or by fax at 867-667-5059.