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**AN ORDER IN THE MATTER OF the Public Utilities Act
Revised Statutes, 1986, c. 143, as amended**

And

A Yukon Energy Corporation Application to Reduce Rider J

BEFORE:	B. Morris, Chair)
	W. Shanks, Vice-Chair)
	G. Leslie)
	R. Hancock)
	M. Phillips) November 13, 2002

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WHEREAS:

- A. As a result of a limited scope public hearing and review in 1998, Board Order 1999-5 confirmed Yukon Energy Corporation's rates as final by way of an increase to Rider J, effective December 1, 1999; and
- B. Rider J was designed to recover revenue shortfalls arising from the shut-down of the Faro Mine, as detailed in Exhibit 83, Schedule 6D, except for recovery of bad debt; and
- C. On September 23, 2002 Yukon Energy Corporation applied for a 3.81% decrease in Rider J to reflect the end of the amortization of certain one-time costs approved by Order 1999-5 ("the Refund Application"); and
- D. Yukon Energy Corporation sent copies to Intervenors registered in the 1998 Hearing; and
- E. On November 5, 2002 The Yukon Electrical Company Limited requested guidance with respect to the appropriate regulatory process; and
- F. Before making its final determination on the Application, the Board wishes to provide interested parties with the opportunity to comment.

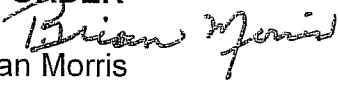
NOW THEREFORE the Board orders as follows:

- 1. Interested parties wishing to make requests for information regarding the Refund Application, should file them with Yukon Energy Corporation, with copies to the Yukon Utilities Board, by Friday, November 29, 2002.
- 2. Yukon Energy Corporation shall respond to all information requests no later than Friday, December 13, 2002.

3. Interested parties may submit written submissions on the Refund Application to the Yukon Utilities Board and to Yukon Energy Corporation by Monday, December 30, 2002.
4. Yukon Energy Corporation shall reply to the written submissions of Interested parties by Friday, January 10, 2003, after which time the Yukon Utilities Board will make its determinations.

Dated at the City of Whitehorse, in the Yukon Territory, this 13th day of November, 2002.

BY ORDER


Brian Morris
Chair