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File No.: 8630-N1-3

March 20, 2003

TransCanada PipeLines Limited  
Attention: Mr. Denis Gagnon  
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Calgary, Alberta, T2P 3Y6

Dear Mr. Gagnon:

**NOVA GAS TRANSMISSION LTD. (NGTL)  
TOLLS, TARIFF & PROCEDURES COMMITTEE (TTP)  
RESOLUTION T2003-01  
CONNECTION OF STORAGE FACILITIES PROCEDURE**

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The above noted resolution, attached to your letter dated February 18, 2003, as amended on February 25, 2003, relating to the Connection of Storage Facilities Procedure (Storage Procedure) and the amendment to the Guidelines for New Facilities (Guidelines), is accepted as a filing for information.

The resolution confirms that the TTP agreed to adopt the Storage Procedure, and also agreed to adopt the amended Guidelines. It is understood that Resolution T2003-01 was unopposed by the TTP at its February 11, 2003, meeting.

The EUB notes that the Storage Procedure and the amended Guidelines both appear to incorporate an alternate view as to the definition of a 'New Facility' from that previously approved by the EUB in Decision 2000-6. More recently, in Decision 2002-16, the EUB noted that Guidelines previously filed with the EUB were only accepted as a filing for information. In that regard, the EUB notes that the TTP acknowledged:

This Storage Procedure, as with all NGTL procedures, are subject to review at any time. This procedure sets no precedent and will be re-evaluated once the EUB issues its decision on Intra-Alberta Accountability.

Accordingly, the Board accepts NGTL's resolution on the understanding that any aspect of the Storage Procedure or the amended Guidelines could be addressed at the time of the next General Rate Application, pursuant to an intervention by an NGTL customer, or at the EUB's discretion.

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NGTL is directed to distribute the filing, including the resolution, and this letter to its customers. The EUB's letter has been provided in electronic format to facilitate the distribution to customers.

Yours truly,

*<original signed by>*

Robert Heggie  
Executive Manager, Utilities Branch