

**BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITIES COMMISSION**

BC INSTRUMENT 44-501

The British Columbia Securities Commission, having considered that to do so would not be prejudicial to the public interest, orders that the attached BC Instrument 44-501 entitled "Exemption of short form prospectuses from general disclosure requirements" is made.

April 19, 2001

Douglas M. Hyndman  
Chair

---

*(This part for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order)*

**Authority under which Order is made:**

Act and sections:- *Securities Act*, section 91

Other (specify):-