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**IN THE MATTER OF NATIONAL POLICY 43-201
MUTUAL RELIANCE REVIEW SYSTEM FOR
PROSPECTUSES AND ANNUAL INFORMATION FORMS**

AND

**IN THE MATTER OF
*IVANHOE ENERGY INC.***

DECISION DOCUMENT

This preliminary mutual reliance review system decision document evidences that preliminary receipts of the regulators in each of **British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland and Labrador, Yukon, Nunavut and Northwest Territories** have been issued for a preliminary short form base shelf prospectus of the above issuer dated October 14, 2003.

DATED at Vancouver, British Columbia on October 15, 2003.

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Note:

The issuance of this decision document is not to be construed as meaning that the adequacy of the preliminary materials has been established. The materials are being reviewed and initial comments will be furnished to you as soon as possible.

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