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Attention: Mr. Christopher P. Weafer

Dear Mr. Weafer:

**Re: FortisBC Inc. (FBC)  
Project No. 1599088**

**Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the  
Kelowna Bulk Transformer Addition Project (the Application)**

**Response to the Commercial Energy Consumers Association of British  
Columbia (CEC) Information Request (IR) No. 1, Question 17.2 - **CONFIDENTIAL****

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On April 24, 2020, FBC filed the Application referenced above. In accordance with the British Columbia Utilities Commission Order G-107-20 setting out the Regulatory Timetable for the review of the Application, FBC respectfully submits the attached confidential response to CEC IR1 17.2.

FBC requests that a portion of the response to CEC IR1 17.2 be filed on a confidential basis pursuant to Section 18 of the BCUC's Rules of Practice and Procedure regarding confidential documents adopted by Order G-15-19, as it contains capital cost estimates for the Project, the public disclosure of which could reasonably be expected to prejudice FBC's negotiating position when procuring contracts and could result in higher costs for the Project.

A redacted version of this response has been provided in the publicly available response.

If further information is required, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

**FORTISBC INC.**

***Original signed:***

Doug Slater

Attachments