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British Columbia Utilities Commission
Suite 410, 900 Howe Street
Vancouver, BC
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Attention: Mr. Patrick Wruck, Commission Secretary

Dear Mr. Wruck:

Re: FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI or the Company)

Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Approval of the Coastal Transmission System Transmission Integrity Management Capabilities Project (Application)

FEI Submission on Further Process

FEI writes to provide its submissions on further process in accordance with the regulatory timetable established by the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) in Order G-149-21 with respect to the above referenced Application.

FEI submits that the evidentiary record thus far is robust, including:

- FEI's Application, which was detailed and comprehensive, and included the quantitative risk assessment and analysis of cracking threats by JANA Corporation (JANA);
- The responses of FEI and JANA to approximately 380 IRs from the BCUC and interveners;
- The independent report of Dynamic Risk Assessment Systems Inc. (Dynamic Risk), which is supportive of the Application; and
- Dynamic Risk's responses to approximately 54 IRs from the BCUC and interveners regarding FEI's Application and their report, which were similarly supportive of the Application.

In FEI's view, the evidence has not raised any material issues with the Application.

Given the breadth of evidence provided by FEI, JANA and Dynamic Risk, FEI submits that the written record to date provides a sufficient evidentiary record upon which the BCUC can render a decision and that it would be appropriate to proceed to written argument. Should the Panel agree, FEI propose the following regulatory timetable, in consideration of the

vacation schedules in August, and the regulatory timetables established in other ongoing regulatory review processes which FEI and interveners are involved in.

ACTION	DATE (2021)
FEI Written Final Submission	Thursday, September 16
Intervener Written Final Submission	Thursday, September 30
FEI Written Reply Submission	Thursday, October 14

Should the Panel consider that there is a need for a second round of IRs, FEI proposes the following regulatory timetable in consideration of regulatory timetables established in other ongoing regulatory review processes which FEI and interveners are involved in.

ACTION	DATE (2021)
BCUC and Intervener IR No. 2 to FEI	Wednesday, September 15
BCUC and Intervener IR No. 2 to Dynamic Risk	Wednesday, September 15
FEI and Dynamic Risk Response to IR No. 2	Thursday, October 28
FEI Written Final Submission	Thursday, November 18
Intervener Written Final Submission	Thursday, December 2
FEI Written Reply Submission	Thursday, December 16

If further information is required, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

FORTISBC ENERGY INC.

Original signed:

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cc (email only): Registered Intervenors