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| FEI 2024 ANNUAL REVIEW OF DELIVERY RATES EXHIBIT A-2 |
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Sarah Walsh
Director, Regulatory Affairs
FortisBC
16705 Fraser Highway
Surrey, BC V4N 0E8

Re: FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) – 2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates – Project No. 1599536 – Regulatory Timetable

Dear Ms. Walsh:

Further to your June 28, 2023 filing of the above-noted matter, enclosed is British Columbia Utilities Commission Order G-194-23 establishing the regulatory timetable.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Patrick Wruck
Commission Secretary

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ORDER NUMBER
G-194-23

IN THE MATTER OF
the *Utilities Commission Act*, RSBC 1996, Chapter 473

and

FortisBC Energy Inc.
2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates

BEFORE:

A. K. Fung, KC, Panel Chair
T. A. Loski, Commissioner

on July 21, 2023

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On June 22, 2020, the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) issued its Decision and Order G-165-20 for FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) and G-166-20 for FortisBC Inc., approving a Multi-Year Rate Plan for 2020 through 2024 (MRP Decision). In accordance with the MRP Decision, FEI is to conduct an annual review (Annual Review) process to set delivery rates for each year;
- B. On May 27, 2015, the BCUC issued its Decision and Order G-86-15 for the FEI Application for Approval of 2015 Delivery Rates, setting out, among other things, the default regulatory timetable template for future Annual Reviews to include:
 - Intervener registration;
 - One round of BCUC and intervener information requests;
 - A workshop which may include BCUC panel participation. The format of the workshop, including who facilitates it, will be determined at each annual review proceeding;
 - FEI response to undertakings from the workshop;
 - Intervener written final arguments; and
 - FEI written reply arguments;
- C. By letter dated June 28, 2023, FEI proposed a regulatory timetable for the 2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates; and
- D. The BCUC has reviewed FEI's proposal and finds that the establishment of a regulatory timetable for the 2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC orders as follows:

1. A regulatory timetable for the FEI 2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates is established as set out in Appendix A to this order.
2. FEI must provide, by Tuesday, August 1, 2023, a copy of this order and its 2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates Application to all registered interveners in the FEI 2023 Annual Review of Delivery Rates proceeding.
3. FEI must provide written confirmation of compliance with Directive 2 to the BCUC by Wednesday, August 2, 2023.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 21st day of July 2023.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

A. K. Fung, KC
Commissioner

Attachment

FortisBC Energy Inc.
2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates

REGULATORY TIMETABLE

| Action | Date (2023) |
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| FEI filing of 2024 Annual Review of Delivery Rates Application | Friday, July 28 |
| FEI provides a copy of the order and Application to parties outlined in Directive 2 of the order | Tuesday, August 1 |
| FEI provides confirmation of compliance with Directive 2 of the order | Wednesday, August 2 |
| Intervener Registration | Friday, August 11 |
| BCUC and Intervener Information Request (IR) No. 1 | Wednesday, August 23 |
| FEI Responses to BCUC and Intervener IR No. 1 | Thursday, September 14 |
| Workshop* | Monday, October 23 |
| FEI Responses to Workshop Undertakings (if any) | Friday, October 27 |
| Intervener Final Argument | Thursday, November 9 |
| FEI Reply Argument | Monday, November 20 |

* The transcribed workshop will be held in the morning to review FEI's 2023 performance results and 2024 delivery rates. The workshop format, start time and location are to be determined.