

Operational Notice: Lower Mainland Capacity Curtailment for Customers under Rate Schedules 7, 22 and 27

December 24, 2021

Capacity Curtailment for Interruptible Customers the Lower Mainland:

Based on the forecasted temperatures, effective **Monday, December 27th** Interruptible customers under Rate Schedules 7, 22, and 27 located in Lower Mainland will have their IT service interrupted. Industrial Account Managers will contact Interruptible customers directly with instructions regarding this curtailment. Marketers should reach out to their customers directly to determine changes to supply requirements.

Operational Restrictions across all British Columbia:

As indicated in the FortisBC notice issued on December 21, customers located in the Lower Mainland (inclusive of Vancouver Island), Interior, East Kootenay and Columbia regions remain in a Hold to Authorize restriction and Imbalance Return remains at zero until further notice.

REMINDER - Daily Balancing in effect

With the above restrictions in place, daily balancing rules remain in place and apply to the group of customers as a whole. Marketers must bring in enough direct supply to cover their entire customer group demand in order to avoid Unauthorized Over-Run charges.

If a Shipper or Group takes gas in excess of the authorized quantity, Unauthorized Over-Run charges will apply. The first 5% of gas taken over the authorized quantity will be charged to the Shipper or Group at the Sumas Daily Price. Gas taken in excess of 5% of the authorized quantity will be charged the greater of CAD \$20.00 per gigajoule or the Sumas Daily Price times 1.5.

FortisBC reserves the right to limit the use of imbalance return or otherwise curtail service. FortisBC continues to monitor the weather and operational conditions across its service regions and will provide as much advanced notice as possible in the event of changes.

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