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IN THE MATTER OF the Utilities Commission Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, Chapter 473

and

An Application by British Columbia Transmission Corporation for Approval of Standards of Conduct

BEFORE: L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner

K.L. Hall, Commissioner

January 20, 2005

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On September 22, 2004, the British Columbia Transmission Corporation ("BCTC") applied to the Commission for approval of BCTC Standards of Conduct ("BCTC Application"); and
- B. On November 19, 2004, BCTC filed additional material in support of the BCTC Application; and
- C. On September 22, 2004, British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority ("BC Hydro") applied to the Commission for approval of BC Hydro Standards of Conduct ("BC Hydro Application"); and
- D. On November 19, 2004, BC Hydro filed additional material in support of the BC Hydro Application; and
- E. On December 8, 2004, the Commission issued Letter No. L-58-04 requesting comments on the BCTC and BC Hydro Applications by December 31, 2004, and inviting reply comments from BCTC and BC Hydro by January 28, 2005; and
- F. No comments were received from any interested party by December 31, 2004; and
- G. Certain agreements between BCTC and BC Hydro (the "Key Agreements") set forth the respective roles and responsibilities of BCTC and BC Hydro regarding the planning, operation, management, and maintenance of the transmission system; and
- H. The Commission has reviewed the BCTC Application and finds that the Standards of Conduct attached as Appendix A to its Application are appropriate given the roles and responsibilities of BCTC under the Key Agreements and should be approved.

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NOW THEREFORE the Commission approves for BCTC the Standards of Conduct attached as Appendix A to the BCTC Application.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 27th day of January 2005.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

L.F. Kelsey Commissioner