

BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER

NUMBER G-201-10

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

and

An Application by Columbia Power Corporation
for Approval of Assignment Agreements to transfer
Mandatory Reliabilities Standard Responsibilities
from Arrow Lakes Power Corporation, Brilliant Power Corporation
and Brilliant Expansion Power Corporation to FortisBC Inc.
and to deregister those Entities as Responsible Entities
for certain functions required for compliance with Mandatory Reliability Standards

**BEFORE:** L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner

D.A. Cote, Commissioner

D. Morton, Commissioner

N.E. MacMurchy, Commissioner

December 22, 2010

## ORDER

## WHEREAS:

- A. On October 8, 2010, Columbia Power Corporation (CPC) submitted Supplemental Agreements on behalf of Arrow Lakes Power Corporation, Brilliant Power Corporation and Brilliant Expansion Power Corporation (collectively, the CPC/CBT Companies) to the Brilliant Expansion Services Agreement, the Brilliant Management Agreement, the Arrow Lakes Management Agreement, and the Brilliant Terminal and Facilities Interconnection and Investment Agreement with FortisBC Inc. to transfer Mandatory Reliability Standards (MRS) responsibility to FortisBC Inc. from the CPC/CBT facilities currently registered for MRS by Commission Orders G-55-10, and G-60-10. These include the Arrow Lakes Power Corporation, Brilliant Power Corporation, and Brilliant Expansion Power Corporation facilities;
- B. On December 7, 2010, the Western Electricity Coordinating Council (WECC) recommended that the British Columbia Utilities Commission (Commission) accepts the Supplemental Agreements as Assignment Agreements and to approve the deregistration of CPC/CBT Companies for Generator Operator, Generator Owner, Transmission Operator, and Transmission Owner functions.

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**NOW THEREFORE** pursuant to section 125.2 (10) of the *Utilities Commission Act* and the Rules of Procedure approved by Order G-123-09, the Commission approves as follows:

- 1. The Supplemental Agreements noted above as Assignment Agreements for the purposes of transferring responsibilities for MRS compliance from the Arrow Lakes Power Corporation, Brilliant Power Corporation and the Brilliant Expansion Power Corporation to FortisBC Inc.
- 2. Deregistration for the Arrow Lakes Power Corporation, Brilliant Power Corporation and the Brilliant Expansion Power Corporation for the functions of Generator Operator, Generator Owner, Transmission Operator and Transmission Owner.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 2010.

**BY ORDER** 

Original signed by:

L.F. Kelsey Commissioner