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BC HYDRO – DAWSON CREEK/CHETWYND TRANSMISSION PROJECT CPCN

Ехнівіт А-27

TO: Ms. Janet Fraser
Chief Regulatory Officer
British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority
(bchydroregulatorygroup@bchydro.com)

Registered Interveners (BCH-DC/Cat-RI)

Re: British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority
Project No. 3698640/Order G-132-11
Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Application
for the Dawson Creek/Chetwynd Area Transmission Project

Further to the British Columbia Utilities Commission (Commission) letter dated April 11, 2012, which lifted the temporary suspension of the Dawson Creek/Chetwynd Area Transmission (DCAT) Project, the Commission Panel wishes to provide an agenda in advance of the upcoming Procedural Conference that is scheduled for **Wednesday**, **May 2, 2012** at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission's Hearing Room at 1125 Howe Street, Twelfth Floor. (Exhibit A-26)

The Procedural Conference is required to address procedural matters that will include, but may not be limited to, the following:

- i. Scope of the review of the DCAT CPCN Application;
- ii. Remaining significant issues after receipt of the Supplemental Evidence (Exhibit B-22) and Updates to the Application submitted by BC Hydro;
- iii. Status of the Commission Panel and Round 3 Information Requests (IRs)
 - Out of scope IRs
 - In-scope IRs that BC Hydro believes have been answered or are no longer relevant
 - Contentious IRs;
- iv. Oral vs. written hearing;
- v. Draft Revised Regulatory Timetable attached as Appendix A (If oral hearing is not required, dates for Final Submissions can be advanced); and
- vi. Other matters.

Yours truly,

Alanna Gillis

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DRAFT REVISED REGULATORY TIMETABLE

| History | Date |
|---|-------------------|
| Commission Panel Information Request | November 15, 2011 |
| Commission and Intervener Information Request No. 3 to BC Hydro | November 18, 2011 |
| Temporary Suspension | November 30, 2011 |
| Dawson Creek/Chetwynd Area Proceeding Reactivated | April 11, 2012 |
| Procedural Conference | May 2, 2012 |

| Action | Date |
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| Commission and Intervener Information Request No. 4 to BC Hydro | Thursday, May 17, 2012 |
| Commission Panel, Commission and Intervener unanswered questions from Information Requests No. 3, if any, after the scope ruling | Thursday, May 17, 2012 |
| BC Hydro Responses to Commission and Intervener Information Requests No. 3 and 4 | Thursday, May 31, 2012 |
| Intervener Evidence, other than West Moberly First Nation | Friday, June 15, 2012 |
| Information Requests on Intervener Evidence | Wednesday, June 27, 2012 |
| West Moberly First Nation Evidence | Thursday, July 5, 2012 |
| Intervener Responses to Information Requests | Wednesday, July 11, 2012 |
| Information Requests on West Moberly First Nation Evidence | Thursday, July 12, 2012 |
| West Moberly First Nation Responses on the Information Requests | Thursday, July 19, 2012 |
| Placeholder for an oral portion of the hearing | July 23 to 27, 2012 |
| BC Hydro Final Submission | Friday, August 24, 2012 |
| Intervener Final Submissions | Friday, September 14, 2012 |
| BC Hydro Reply Submission | Friday, September 28, 2012 |