

BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER

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

and

An Application by Lehigh Cement for Registration as Responsible Entity for Certain Functions Required for Compliance with Mandatory Reliability Standards

BEFORE: D.M. Morton, Commissioner

L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner C.A. Brown, Commissioner N.E. MacMurchy, Commissioner

July 5, 2012

R.D. Revel, Commissioner

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. Section 125.2 of the *Utilities Commission Act* (Act) assigns exclusive jurisdiction to the British Columbia Utilities Commission (Commission) to determine whether a "reliability standard," as defined in the Act, is in the public interest and should be adopted in British Columbia;
- B. Order G-123-09 approved the Registration Manual for entities subject to adopted Mandatory Reliability Standards and required that entities subject to the standards register with the Commission;
- C. The Registration Manual requires that the Western Electricity Coordinating Council (WECC), in its role as the Mandatory Reliability Standards Administrator, review and recommend registration for all applicable Entities and allows 21 days for Entities to file comment with the Commission on WECC's recommendations;
- D. On April 20, 2012, WECC Recommended that Lehigh Cement be registered for the function of Distribution Provider, and provided Lehigh Cement with a letter requesting their comment;
- E. Lehigh Cement provided no letter of objection within the required period;
- F. The Commission considers that registration is required.

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NOW THEREFORE pursuant to section 125.2 (10) of the Act and in accordance with the Registration Manual, the Commission Orders that Lehigh Cement be registered for the function of Distribution Provider as recommended by WECC.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this

day of July 2012.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

D.M. Morton Commissioner