

BRITISH COLUMBIA
UTILITIES COMMISSION

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

and

An Application by Catalyst Paper-Crofton Division for Acceptance of Revised Mitigation Plans required for Compliance with Mandatory Reliability Standards PRC-005-1 Requirement 1 - Violation ID: BCUC201100099

PRC-008-0 Requirement 1 - Violation ID: BCUC201100100 PRC-008-0 Requirement 2 - Violation ID: BCUC201100101

BEFORE: D.M. Morton, Commissioner September 18, 2012

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. By Order G-123-09, the Commission approved the Compliance Monitoring Program (CMP) for monitoring and enforcement of adopted reliability standards and appointed the Western Electricity Coordinating Council (WECC) as its Administrator for registration and monitoring compliance as per section 8 of the Act;
- B. Commission Order G-67-09 requires entities subject to approved Mandatory Reliability Standards to file mitigation plans outlining how they plan to achieve compliance;
- C. Pursuant to Section 5.3 of the CMP, a Mitigation Plan with respect to an Alleged Violation may be submitted at any time, and a Mitigation Plan with respect to a Confirmed Violation must be submitted within ten business days following confirmation by the Commission;
- D. By Order G-47-11, the Commission approved Mitigation Plans with a completion date of September 15, 2011, submitted by Catalyst Paper-Crofton Division (CPCD) to address the possible or alleged violation of Reliability Standards PRC-005-1R1 and PRC-008-0R1 and R2. The previously approved Mitigation Plans are shown below:

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Possible Noncompliance	Violation ID	Date Initial MP submitted to WECC	MP Approval	Proposed Completion Date
PRC-005-1 R1	BCUC201100099	January 19, 2011	G-47-11	Sept. 15, 2011
PRC-008-0 R1	BCUC201100100	January 19, 2011	G-47-11	Sept. 15, 2011
PRC-008-0 R2	BCUC201100101	January 19, 2011	G-47-11	Sept. 15, 2011

- E. On October 20, 2011, CPCD submitted Revised Mitigation Plans to address the possible or alleged violations of Reliability Standards PRC-005-1 R1 and PRC-008-0 R1 and R2. CPCD requested the new completion date be April 2, 2012;
- F. By letters dated September 5, 2012, WECC recommended acceptance of the following Revised Mitigation Plans to bring CPCD into compliance with the standards listed below:

Reliability Standard	BCUC Violation ID	Completion Date
PRC-005-1 R1	BCUC201100099	April 2, 2012
PRC-008-0 R1	BCUC201100100	April 2, 2012
PRC-008-0 R2	BCUC201100101	April 2, 2012

G. The Commission has reviewed WECC's recommendation and considers approval is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to section 125.2 (10) of the Act and in accordance with the Compliance Monitoring Program, the Commission accepts WECC's recommendation and approves the Revised Mitigation Plans with completion dates as listed in recital F above.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 25th day of September 2012.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

D.M. Morton Commissioner