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Ms. Diane Roy
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Dear Ms. Roy:

Re: FortisBC Energy Inc. and FortisBC Energy Vancouver Island Inc. (Companies or FEI)
System Extension Application Timing - Response to Letter L-44-14

On August 22, 2014, the British Columbia Utilities Commission (Commission) issued Letter L-44-14 requesting the Companies confirm by December 31, 2014 that they will be filing an application on their main extension policies by March 31, 2015, or the Companies must provide an explanation and justification why they are not, also by December 31, 2014. The Commission explained that if the Companies do not commit to filing an application by March 31, 2015 that addresses the Commission's concerns, it will establish a process to address the Commission's concerns with the current main extension policies.

On December 19, 2014, the Companies filed a letter informing the Commission that the Companies will be unable to complete both the 2014 Main Extension (MX) report and file the application by March 31, 2015. The Companies explained that the 2014 MX report utilizes the same staffing resources that would be used for the application. The Companies submit they will file the 2014 MX report by March 31, 2015, and anticipate being in a position to file the application in the second quarter of 2015. The Companies submit they will notify the Commission should circumstances arise affecting this anticipated timing.

The Commission is satisfied with the explanation provided and extends the deadline for filing the application to June 30, 2015. If FEI does not file an application that addresses the Commission's concerns by June 30, 2015, the Commission will establish a process to address the Commission's concerns with the current main extension policies.

Yours truly,

Original signed by:

Erica Hamilton

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cc: Registered Interveners and participants in the FEU MX workshops:
FBC-PBR-2014-18-RI; FEI-PBR-2014-18-RI; TGVI-TGI-SyX&CPR-RI