



**ORDER NUMBER  
G-337-21**

IN THE MATTER OF  
the *Utilities Commission Act*, RSBC 1996, Chapter 473

and

FortisBC Energy Inc.  
Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity  
for the Coastal Transmission System Transmission Integrity Management Capabilities Project

**BEFORE:**

A. K. Fung, QC, Panel Chair  
C. M. Brewer, Commissioner  
D. M. Morton, Commissioner

on November 19, 2021

**ORDER**

**WHEREAS:**

- A. On February 11, 2021, FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) filed an application (Application) with the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN), pursuant to sections 45 and 46 of the *Utilities Commission Act* (UCA), for FEI's Coastal Transmission System (CTS) Transmission Integrity Management Capabilities (TIMC) Project (CTS TIMC Project);
- B. The CTS TIMC Project includes the following:
  - 1. Required pipeline alterations including replacement of heavy wall segments and alterations to related facilities that are necessary to ready the 11 susceptible CTS pipelines for electro-magnetic acoustic transducer (EMAT) in-line inspection (ILI); and
  - 2. Installation of a pressure regulating station (PRS) on a single segment of one of the pipelines where EMAT ILI is not possible;
- C. FEI also requests approval, pursuant to sections 59 to 61 of the UCA, to recover the balance of costs in the TIMC Development Cost deferral account associated with the development of the Application, estimated at \$13.2 million, by amortizing the December 31, 2021 actual balance of these costs over three years;
- D. By Order G-74-21 dated March 11, 2021, the BCUC established a regulatory timetable for review of the Application;
- E. By Orders G-149-21, G-251-21, G-285-21, G-295-21 and Order G-318-21, the BCUC amended the regulatory timetable;

- F. By letter dated November 18, 2021, FEI requested an extension for filing its Reply Argument from November 22, 2021 to November 26, 2021; and
- G. The BCUC has reviewed FEI's extension request and determines that an amendment to the regulatory timetable is warranted.

**NOW THEREFORE** the BCUC further amends the regulatory timetable as set out in Appendix A to this order.

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 2021.

BY ORDER

*Original signed by:*

A. K. Fung, QC  
Commissioner

Attachment

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**REGULATORY TIMETABLE**

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Action	Date (2021)
FEI Reply Argument	Friday, November 26