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# ORDER NUMBER G-319-22

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

and

Wyse Meter Solutions Inc.
Investigation into Status as a Public Utility

### **BEFORE**:

B. A. Magnan, Panel Chair E. B. Lockhart, Commissioner A. Pape-Salmon, Commissioner

on November 4, 2022

## **ORDER**

### **WHEREAS:**

- A. By email on October 6, 2021, a complaint was filed with the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) concerning, amongst other things, whether Wyse Meter Solutions Inc. (Wyse) was operating as a public utility at multiple premises in British Columbia (BC) (Complaint);
- B. On July 6, 2022, by Letter L-29-22, the BCUC suspended the Complaint and another four additional unresolved complaints against Wyse and determined that a public hearing to investigate Wyse's status as a public utility is warranted;
- C. On July 22, 2022, by Order G-203-22, the BCUC established a regulatory timetable which included public notice, intervener registration, letters of comment, BCUC and Intervener information requests (IR), with further process to be determined;
- D. By Orders G-216-22 and G-249-22, the BCUC amended the regulatory timetable in response to Wyse's request for additional time to provide public notice and to file responses to BCUC and Intervener IR No. 1;
- E. On September 23, 2022, Wyse submitted its responses to BCUC and Intervener IR No. 1;
- F. On October 13, 2022, Wyse submitted responses to letters of comment;
- G. On October 21, 2022, by Order G-294-22, the BCUC amended the regulatory timetable for a further round of BCUC and Intervener IR, with further process to be determined;
- H. On November 4, 2022, an additional letter of comment that was submitted on August 22, 2022, filed by Mr. Kevin Malone, was placed onto the evidentiary record; and
- I. The BCUC determines that a further amendment of the regulatory timetable is warranted.

Regulatory Timetable 1 of 2

**NOW THEREFORE** the BCUC orders the regulatory timetable amended by Order G-294-22 is further amended as set out in Appendix A to this order:

**DATED** at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 2022.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

B. A. Magnan Commissioner

Attachment

Regulatory Timetable 2 of 2

# Wyse Meter Solutions Inc. Investigation into Status as a Public Utility REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2022)
Intervener Information Request IR No. 2 to Wyse	Tuesday, November 8
Wyse response to Mr. Malone's letter of comment	Thursday, November 17
Wyse and BC Hydro responses to BCUC and Intervener IRs	Thursday, November 17
Further process	To be determined