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ORDER NUMBER G-112-23

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

and

FortisBC Energy Inc.
Biomethane Energy Recovery Charge Rate Methodology and
Comprehensive Review of a Revised Renewable Gas Program

BEFORE:

D. M. Morton, Panel Chair D. A. Cote, Commissioner R. I. Mason, Commissioner

on May 9, 2023

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On December 17, 2021, in accordance with British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) Orders G-35-21 and G-242-21, FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) filed its Stage 2 Comprehensive Review and Application for Approval of a Revised Renewable Gas Program (Application);
- B. By Orders G-3-22, G-103-22, G-165-22A, G-28-23, and G-86-23, the BCUC established a regulatory timetable for review of the Application;
- C. By letter dated May 8, 2023, FEI informed the BCUC that a matter had arisen with respect to the *Carbon Tax Act* that may impact the evidence and approvals sought in the proceeding. FEI requests that the BCUC modify the regulatory timetable set by Order G-86-23, and allow FEI to file an update on the carbon tax matter by June 5, 2023, after which further process can be determined;
- D. The BCUC has reviewed FEI's request and determines that an amendment to the regulatory timetable is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC 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	9 th	day of May 2023.
BY ORDER		
Original signed by:		
D. M. Morton Commissioner		

Attachment

FortisBC Energy Inc. Biomethane Energy Recovery Charge Rate Methodology and Comprehensive Review of a Revised Renewable Gas Program

REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2023)
FEI's Update on Carbon Tax Matter	Monday, June 5
Further Process	To be determined