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ORDER NUMBER G-158-25

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

and

FortisBC Energy Inc. Permanent Rates for Inland Truck & Equipment Ltd. for Fuelling Service from Seven CNG Stations

BEFORE:

B. A. Magnan, Commissioner W. E. Royle, Commissioner

on June 26, 2025

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On June 10, 2025, FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) applied to the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC), pursuant to sections 59 to 61 of the *Utilities Commission Act*, for approval of the rates established in fuelling services agreements (FSA) between FEI and Inland Truck & Equipment Ltd. (Inland) at the following seven compressed natural gas (CNG) fuelling stations, on a permanent basis, effective June 16, 2025 (Application):
 - FEI's Operations Centre in Kamloops (Kamloops Fuelling Station);
 - FEI's Victoria Regional Office Facility in Langford (Langford Fuelling Station);
 - FEI's Operations Facility in Burnaby (Burnaby Operations Fuelling Station);
 - Mid Island Customer Services Co-operative fuelling station in Nanaimo (Mid Island Fuelling Station);
 - GFL fuelling station in Abbotsford (GFL Abbotsford Fuelling Station);
 - Annacis Island fuelling station in Delta (Annacis Island Fuelling Station); and
 - Environmental 360 Solutions fuelling station in Kelowna (E360S Fuelling Station);
- B. By Order G-56-13, the BCUC accepted that the Greenhouse Gas Reduction (Clean Energy) Regulation (GGRR) established the need for Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) and Liquefied Natural Gas fuelling stations that are undertaken by FEI as prescribed undertakings as defined by the GGRR, and that these prescribed undertakings are exempt from the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity requirements for the term of the GGRR;

- C. With the exception of the Kamloops Fuelling Station and the portion of the Annacis Island Fuelling Station to be constructed in relation to the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity granted by Order C-4-25, the BCUC has previously found the fuelling stations listed in Recital A of this order were undertaken as prescribed undertakings under the GGRR;
- D. The BCUC has previously approved the rate design and rates at each of the seven fuelling stations listed in Recital A of this order;
- E. On June 9, 2025, FEI and Inland entered into seven FSAs, establishing the terms, conditions, and rates for Inland to receive CNG fuelling services from each of the seven fuelling stations, effective June 16, 2025. FEI states in the Application that the rates established in each FSA are consistent with the current rates approved for customers at the corresponding fuelling station. The FSAs are as follows:
 - FEI-Inland FSA for Kamloops Fuelling Station (Inland Kamloops FSA);
 - FEI-Inland FSA for the Langford Fuelling Station (Inland Langford FSA);
 - FEI-Inland FSA for the Burnaby Operations Fuelling Station (Inland Burnaby FSA);
 - FEI-Inland FSA for the Mid Island Fuelling Station (Inland Mid Island FSA);
 - FEI-Inland FSA for the GFL Abbotsford Fuelling Station (Inland GFL Abbotsford FSA);
 - FEI-Inland FSA for the Annacis Island Fuelling Station (Inland Annacis Island FSA); and
 - FEI-Inland FSA for the E360S Fuelling Station (Inland E360S FSA);
- F. On June 20, 2025, FEI responded to a BCUC staff question issued on June 19, 2025; and
- G. The BCUC has reviewed the Application and FEI's response to the staff question and determines that approval of the rates and terms established in the seven FSAs is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to sections 59 to 61 of the *Utilities Commission Act*, the BCUC orders as follows:

- 1. The rates established in the Inland Kamloops FSA, Inland Langford FSA, Inland Burnaby FSA, Inland Mid Island FSA, Inland GFL Abbotsford FSA, Inland Annacis Island FSA and Inland E360S FSA are approved on a permanent basis, effective June 16, 2025.
- 2. FEI is to file the seven FSAs, listed in Directive 1 of this order, in tariff supplement form for endorsement by the BCUC within 15 days of the date of this order.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 26th day of June 2025.

BY ORDER

Electronically signed by Bernard Magnan

B. A. Magnan Commissioner