

BRITISH COLUMBIA UTILITIES COMMISSION

ORDER NUMBER

F-6-06

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IN THE MATTER OF the Utilities Commission Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, Chapter 473

and

Applications for Participant Assistance Cost Award Regarding the FortisBC Inc. Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Nk'Mip East Osoyoos Transmission Line and Substation Project

BEFORE: L.F. Kelsey, Commissioner

L.A. Boychuk, Commissioner

June 12, 2006

A.J. Pullman, Commissioner

ORDER

WHEREAS:

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- A. On June 2, 2006 the Commission, by Order No. C-1-06, issued its Decision on FortisBC Inc.'s Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Nk'Mip East Osoyoos Transmission Line and Substation Project; and
- B. On April 18, 2006, Osoyoos Now submitted a bill of costs in the amount of \$21,995.50 for its participation in the proceeding; and
- C. The Commission has reviewed Osoyoos Now's Participant Assistance Cost Award application with regard to the criteria and rates set out in Commission Order No. G-15-04.

NOW THEREFORE the Commission orders as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to Section 118(1) of the Utilities Commission Act, the Commission awards in the amount of \$21,995.50 funds to Osoyoos Now for its participation in the FortisBC Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the Nk'Mip East Osoyoos Transmission Line and Substation Project.
- 2. FortisBC Inc. is to reimburse Osoyoos Now for the total amount awarded in a timely fashion.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this

day of June 2006.

BY ORDER

A.J. Pullman Commissioner