



**ORDER NUMBER
G-223-19**

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

and

FortisBC Energy Inc.
Application for Acceptance of the Biogas Purchase Agreement
Between FortisBC Energy Inc. and the City of Vancouver

BEFORE:

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

on September 12, 2019

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On September 21, 2018, FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) filed with the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC), on a confidential basis, an application for acceptance of a Biogas Purchase Agreement (BPA) between FEI and the City of Vancouver pursuant to section 71 of the *Utilities Commission Act* (Application);
- B. On June 6, 2019, the BCUC issued decision and Order G-122-19 which adjourned the proceeding for 60 days to allow FEI to restructure and resubmit to the Panel the Project and/or its BPA with the COV in a way that provides the required certainty to FEI's RNG acquisition cost so as to qualify as a prescribed undertaking within the specified cost threshold under the provisions of the Greenhouse Gas Reduction (Clean Energy) Regulation;
- C. On July 16, 2019, FEI filed a response to BCUC decision and Order G-122-19 (Response);
- D. By Order G-182-19, dated August 1, 2019, the BCUC established a regulatory timetable for review of the Response;
- E. On August 29, 2019, FEI filed its response to BCUC Information Request No. 2; and
- F. The BCUC considers that amending the regulatory timetable is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC orders as follows:

- 1. The regulatory timetable as established by Order G-182-19 is amended and attached as Appendix A to this order.

2. A Streamlined Review Process (SRP) will be held on Wednesday, September 25, 2019, commencing at 9:00 a.m. at Allwest Reporting on the 12th Floor, 1125 Howe Street, Vancouver, BC. Details regarding the BCUC's [SRP Policy, Guidelines and Procedures](#) can be found on the BCUC website.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 12th day of September 2019.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

D. M. Morton
Commissioner

Attachment

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REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2019)
Streamlined Review Process (including oral argument)*	Wednesday, September 25

*Location: Allwest Reporting
12th Floor, 1125 Howe Street
Vancouver, BC