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ORDER NUMBER G-198-21

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

and

Envirotankers Inc.
Apparent Non-Compliance of the Fuel Price Transparency Act

BEFORE:

B. A. Magnan, Commissioner

on June 28, 2021

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On November 28, 2019, the Government of British Columbia (BC) enacted the *Fuel Price Transparency Act* (FPT Act). The FPT Act requires a responsible person engaged in a reportable activity to submit reportable fuel data to the Administrator;
- B. By Order in Council (OIC) No. 123/20 dated March 9, 2020, the Lieutenant Governor in Council (LGIC) designated the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) as the Administrator of the FPT Act. The BCUC is responsible for collecting data to promote competitiveness and public confidence in the competitiveness of the fuel market in BC;
- C. By OIC No. 474/20 dated August 13, 2020, the LGIC, established the Fuel Price Transparency Regulations (FPT Regulations) under the FPT Act, which requires fuel importers, wholesalers, terminal owners/operators and those who supply fuel to retail dealers, to make periodic submissions to the BCUC effective November 1, 2020. The BCUC is responsible for ensuring compliance with these regulations as the Administrator of the FPT Act;
- D. By Letter dated November 23, 2020, the BCUC notified that it may potentially be a Reporting Person and is required to report under the FPT Act and Regulation. The BCUC followed up with your organization, with letters dated December 18, 2020 and March 31, 2021, requesting the required information to ensure compliance with the FPT Act;
- E. To date, the BCUC has not received the required information from your organization to ensure Envirotankers Inc. is in compliance with the FPT Act and Regulation;
- F. By Order G-138-21 dated May 6, 2021, the BCUC requested Envirotankers Inc. to provide comments on the apparent non-compliance with the FPT Act within 14 days from the date of the order; and

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G. To date, the BCUC has received no contact or correspondence from Envirotankers Inc.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC adjourns the Apparent Non-Compliance of the FPT Act proceeding pending further order from the BCUC.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 28th day of June 2021.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

B. A. Magnan Commissioner

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