



ORDER NUMBER
G-226-21

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

and

FortisBC Inc.
Annual Review for 2022 Rates

BEFORE:

A. K. Fung, QC, Panel Chair
W. M. Everett, QC, Commissioner
T. A. Loski, Commissioner

on July 27, 2021

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On June 22, 2020, the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) issued its Decision and Order G-165-20 approving a Multi-Year Rate Plan for 2020 through 2024 (2020-2024 MRP Decision) for FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) and Order G-166-20 for FortisBC Inc. (FBC) respectively. In accordance with the 2020-2024 MRP Decision, FBC is to conduct an annual review (Annual Review) process to set rates for each year;
- B. On June 23, 2015, the BCUC issued its Decision and Order G-107-15 in the FBC Annual Review of 2015 Rates, setting out, among other things, the default regulatory timetable template for future Annual Reviews to include:
 - Intervener registration;
 - One round of BCUC and intervener information requests;
 - A workshop which may include BCUC panel participation. The format of the workshop, including who facilitates it, will be determined at each annual review proceeding;
 - FBC response to undertakings from the workshop;
 - Intervener written final arguments; and
 - FBC written reply arguments;
- C. By letter dated July 13, 2021, FBC proposed a regulatory timetable for its Annual Review of its 2022 rates; and
- D. The BCUC has reviewed FBC's proposal and considers that establishment of a regulatory timetable for the Annual Review for FBC's 2022 rates is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC orders as follows:

1. A regulatory timetable for the Annual Review for FBC's 2022 rates is established, as set out in Appendix A to this order.
2. A transcribed workshop attended by the Panel to review FBC's 2020 and 2021 performance results and the 2022 revenue requirements will be held on Wednesday, October 20, 2021, commencing at 9 a.m., with the location and format to be determined.
3. Interveners must register with the BCUC by completing a [Request to Intervene form](#), available on the BCUC website, by the date established in the regulatory timetable, and in accordance with the BCUC's Rules of Practice and Procedure attached to Order G-15-19.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 27th day of July 2021.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

A. K. Fung, QC
Commissioner

Attachment

FortisBC Inc.
Annual Review for 2022 Delivery Rates

REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2021)
FBC filing of Annual Review for 2022 Rates	Friday, August 6
Intervener Registration	Friday, August 13
BCUC and Intervener Information Request (IR) No. 1	Tuesday, September 14
FBC responses to BCUC and Intervener IR No. 1	Tuesday, October 5
Workshop*	Wednesday, October 20
FBC responses to workshop undertakings (if any)	Tuesday, October 26
Intervener Final Argument	Thursday, November 4
FBC Reply Argument	Tuesday, November 16

*Workshop format and location to be determined.