



ORDER NUMBER
G-85-22

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

and

Creative Energy Vancouver Platforms Inc.
Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
for the Core Steam System Decarbonization Project

BEFORE:

A. K. Fung, QC, Panel Chair
C. M. Brewer, Commissioner
A. C. Dennier, Commissioner
E. B. Lockhart, Commissioner

on March 24, 2022

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On June 30, 2021, Creative Energy Vancouver Platforms Inc. (Creative Energy) submitted an application to the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) for the Core Steam System Decarbonization Project (Project) pursuant to sections 45 and 46 of the *Utilities Commission Act* (UCA) (Application);
- B. The Project consists of the construction and operation of an electric steam boiler plant, an electric substation and related equipment;
- C. Creative Energy also requests approval, pursuant to section 44.2 of the UCA, of the following anticipated expenditures:
 - 1. \$15.775 million for an electric transmission line constructed, owned and operated by the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority (BC Hydro) from the Murrin substation to the existing Core Steam Plant; and
 - 2. \$1.25 million for a BC Hydro Facilities Study of the transmission line to connect the electric steam plant and substation to the BC Hydro network;
- D. By Orders G-258-21, G-293-21 and G-358-21, the BCUC established and amended the regulatory timetable for the review of the Application, which included two rounds of information requests (IRs) to Creative Energy from the BCUC and interveners, and submissions on further process;
- E. By Order G-49-22, the BCUC further established the regulatory timetable to include one round of Panel IRs, Creative Energy and intervener written final arguments, and Creative Energy written reply argument; and

- F. Following review of Creative Energy's responses to Panel IRs, the BCUC determines that submissions on certain matters are required as part of the parties' final arguments which warrant amending the regulatory timetable for the review of the Application.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC orders that an amended regulatory timetable for the review of the Application is established, as set out in Appendix A to this order.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 24th day of March 2022.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

A. K. Fung, QC
Commissioner

Attachment

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REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2022)
Creative Energy Written Final Argument	Friday, April 8
Intervener Written Final Argument	Friday, April 22
Creative Energy Written Reply Argument	Friday, May 6