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BCUC RIB RATE REPORT
EXHIBIT A-2

Dear Mr. Marty:

Re: Residential Inclining Block Rate Report
to the Government of BC

We are in receipt of your email of September 2, 2015, expressing your interest in the review of the Residential Inclining Block Rate Report, as detailed in our letter dated August 17, 2015 (exhibit A-1). You are correct that it is our intent to engage public comment when the full review process is established, and after the utilities submit their reports to the British Columbia Utilities Commission (Commission). However, we are prepared to invite you to comment on the early phase based on your interest and professional experience as you have described in your email.

In exhibit A-1, the Commission invited a specific group of stakeholders to participate because we are interested in receiving input from parties who have specific knowledge of the residential inclining block rate design. In your email you detail your long-term professional and governmental experience related to energy efficiency and environmental policy. Accordingly we extend the invitation for you to provide comments to the Commission on the same topics and in the same timeline as set out in exhibit A-1.

For all other interested persons, we can confirm that a robust public comment process is planned to take place after the utility reports are submitted.

Yours truly,

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