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Letter of Comment

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Proceeding name

Sean Mennie

Are you currently registered as an intervener or interested party?

No

Name (first and last)

Sean Mennie

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Date:

18-Oct-16

Comment: Please specify the reasons for your interest in the proceeding, your views concerning the proceeding, any relevant information that supports or explains your views, the conclusion you support and any recommendations. The Commission may disallow comments that do not comply with the Rules of Practice and Procedure.

We live in a rural area of [REDACTED], British Columbia that is not serviced by city water or sewer. This means that we must have electrical pumps to supply water and treat our sewer. We also do not have access to natural gas. All our heating, hot water and cooking requires electricity, If the two tier electrical policy does not take this fact into consideration, rural properties are unfairly treated Rural residents move to the more expensive electricity sooner because of this unfair application of the second tier electrical rate.

I would ask the British Columbia Utilities Commission ensure BC Hydro study and apply an appropriate upper consumption for rural properties to ensure every household in British Columbia is treated evenly with this two tier rate.

Thanks.