



**INFORMATION RELEASE – BCUC Quarterly Decision Cycle Time Results**  
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The BC Utilities Commission has issued its Quarterly Decision Cycle Time performance measure results for the second quarter spanning July 1, 2016 to September 30, 2016. In this quarter, 88% of the Commission's decisions were issued within target, in less than 90 days. A total of eight decisions were issued and the average Decision Cycle Time was 61 days.

This was a busy quarter for the Commission in which commissioners and staff faced high workload in concurrent hearings that required one decision to be issued after our 90 day target. The Decision for the FEI 2015 Mains Extension Application missed the 90-day target and instead took 123 days for issuance.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The Decision Cycle Time measures the duration in calendar days from the beginning of Commission deliberation (typically the date of the reply argument in a hearing) to the date of the decision or final order. This performance measure includes any proceeding with arguments or that allows for arguments, which results in a final order, decision or report. Our annual target is for 90 percent of decisions to be issued in 90 calendar days or less.

This quarterly update is provided on our [Annual Report webpage](#) as part of our commitment to transparency. The Decision Cycle Time results for the fiscal year will be reported in our Annual Report.

**To see the quarterly update, please visit the following link: [Click here](#)**

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