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Subject: Clarification Sought and Submitting Intervenor Request No 2

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Friday, July 8

Ms Allanna Gillis, Acting Commission Secretary:

My apologies but by letter dated June 24, 2011, I understood that the regulatory timetable was suspended pending FortisBC's proposed update. While I appreciate the manner in which the Commission panel has dealt with my requests concerning FortisBC's non response to my Intervener Information Request No 1, I was possibly mistaken into believing that the deadline for Intervener Information Request No 2 was suspended.

If the deadline was June 28th then I missed it completely and am finding it hard to ask a second round of questions when the first have not been answered. That said I do have some second round questions formulated.

1. As per Exhibit C5-4 BCPAO, Information Request No 2, Question 14, referencing line 25, page 8, Response Andy Shadrack Information Request No 1, referencing line 25 and 26, page 2, Response BCSEA Information Request No 1, Fortis BC restates:

"By exempting the existing customer charge from future rate increases (except for rebalancing adjustments), the proportion of customer class revenue collected through the customer charge will fall over time."

Surely FortisBC has this formula the wrong way round:

i. Is the basic charge not collected for the cost of distributing FortisBC's own self-generated power, as that is what the infrastructure is in place for?

ii. Is not BC Hydro 3808, Teck Cominco, Columbia Power Corp, and spot market power purchases only an energy demand cost?

2. Please provide what a basic charge $ value would look like if it were based only on distributing FortisBC's self-generated power.

3. Please provide what a block 1 $ value would look like if it were based on supplying only FortisBC's self generated power and what the kWh threshold would be to block 2.

4. Please provide what a block 2 $ value would look like if it were based on supplying only FortisBC's purchased power.
Respectfully submitted,
Andy Shadrack

At 03:06 PM 08/07/2011, Commission Secretary BCUC:EX wrote:

Dear Mr. Swanson:

Please see attached correspondence (Exhibit A-12) with respect to the above-noted matter. Original will not follow.
A hard copy of the attached is available upon request.
Please call the BCUC Information Service Group at 604-660-4700 to request a copy.

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