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**BC Hydro 2015 Rate Design Application (2015 RDA) Newspapers**

I refer to the Exhibit B-4, BC Hydro letter to BCUC dated 3 November 2015 listing “appropriate local news publications in BC Hydro’s service area.”

I am alarmed and disappointed that the notice of BC Hydro 2015 Application was NOT posted in Kelowna, Salmon Arm, Sicamous, Revelstoke, nor any smaller communities in British Columbia.

Are the proposed BC Hydro Tariff changes ONLY to apply in the areas notified in the newspapers?

I was alerted to this application by my network of technical specialists.

So how do you and BC Hydro define “appropriate local news publications”?

**BC Hydro 2015 Rate Design Application (2015 RDA) Workshops**

I refer to BC Hydro's 4,900 page, 2015 RDA application and the numerous references to Workshops having being held, and find no record of Workshop locations, announcements, content, participants, or outcomes.

Please advise me who participated in these Workshops, how were participants selected, who led the Workshops and what were the outcomes?

Thank you,

Frank O'Donnell,

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