

Letter of Comment

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Proceeding name: BC Hydro

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No

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Name (first and last): Marc Archer	Date: November 5, 2016
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My BC Hydro account is in my wife's name.

I don't understand the details of the calculations for these companies to conclude that the revenue to cost ratio is the same whether your home uses gas or electric only, or a combination of both. That may be true from these companies perspective (although it does not seem logical) but it is certainly not from a consumer perspective.

A home using both types of energy will enjoy the benefit of both lower tier pricing. In my case I use electricity only. Consequently, I am a heavy user of the second tier with no means of significantly affecting the cost.

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