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**Attention: Patrick Wruck, Commission Secretary
and Manager, Regulatory Support**

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

**Re: FortisBC Energy Inc. ("FEI") – Application to Exclude Employee Information from
2015 Data Order G-161-15 ~ Project No. 1598960**

We are counsel to the Commercial Energy Consumers Association of British Columbia (the "CEC") in this matter. We have reviewed the detailed Submissions of counsel for FEI dated July 27, 2018. The CEC agrees with and adopts the Submissions of FEI as set out in their Final Submissions.

The CEC would highlight paragraph 78 of FEI's Submission which states:

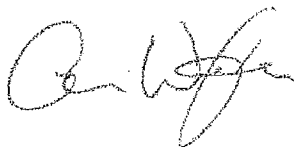
"78. FEI's position that the Commission has jurisdiction to regulate Sensitive Information and Customer should be distinguished from two issues: (1) whether the Commission's jurisdiction to determine the terms and conditions of service extends to imposing this particular type of requirement with respect to the collection and storage of Customer Information in the presence of a distinct regulatory framework related to privacy; and (2) whether the Commission should be, as a matter of regulatory policy, imposing the requirements."

The CEC agrees that these matters are not being considered or determined in this proceeding. The CEC's support of the FEI Submissions on employee data are without prejudice to CEC's view that determinations on the collection and storage of Customer Information is within the jurisdiction of the Commission.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Yours truly,

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cc: Registered Interveners