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FEI GSMIP 2019-2022 EXTENSION APPLICATION EXHIBIT A-4

Mr. Doug Slater
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Re: FortisBC Energy Inc. – Application to Extend the Gas Supply Mitigation Incentive Program for the period November 1, 2019 to October 31, 2022 – Project No. 1599025 – Regulatory Timetable

Dear Mr. Slater:

Further to your June 6, 2019 filing of the above-noted application, please find enclosed British Columbia Utilities Commission Order G-210-19 continuing the regulatory timetable.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Patrick Wruck
Commission Secretary

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Enclosure

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ORDER NUMBER
G-209-19

IN THE MATTER OF
the *Utilities Commission Act*, RSBC 1996, Chapter 473

and

FortisBC Energy Inc.
Application to Extend the Gas Supply Mitigation Incentive Program
For the Period November 1, 2019 to October 31, 2022

BEFORE:
B. A. Magnan, Commissioner

on September 5, 2019

ORDER

WHEREAS:

A. On June 6, 2019, FortisBC Energy Inc. (FEI) filed an application with the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC), seeking approval pursuant to sections 59-61 of the Utilities Commission Act (UCA) for an extension of the Gas Supply Mitigation Incentive Program (GSMIP), for a three-year term for the period November 1, 2019 to October 31, 2022 (Application);

B. In the Application, FEI proposes continuation of the existing GSMIP model and Term Sheet, unchanged, to be effective November 1, 2019;

C. By Order G-163-19 dated July 25, 2019, the BCUC established a written hearing process and regulatory timetable to review the Application. The timetable included one round of information requests, letters of comment, and further process to be determined;

D. British Columbia Old Age Pensioner's Organization et al. (BCOAPO) and Commercial Energy Consumers Association of British Columbia (CEC) submitted letters of comment, in which CEC requested as a part of further process that the BCUC allow letters of comment to be filed upon review of the responses to BCUC information requests and the close of the evidentiary record;

E. The BCUC has reviewed the submissions and has determined that a further regulatory timetable is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC orders that a further regulatory timetable is established, as set out in Appendix A to this order.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 5th day of September 2019.

BY ORDER

Original signed by:

B. A. Magnan
Commissioner

Attachment

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REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2019)
Deadline to submit letters of comment	Friday, September 13
FEI written final reply comment	Friday, September 20