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Comment: Under the topic of 'portfolio of generating projects and demand-side management initiatives that could provide similar benefits' I would like to please submit the following consideration. Big dams pack an enormous environmental footprint - forever- and therefore an evaluation of impact of big dams versus alternative generating projects should be conducted. We cannot correctly evaluate the cost to ratepayers without also factoring the loss of agriculture, forests, fish, wildlife, aquatic and terrestrial habitat, the Athabasca Delta, and so on in perpetuity as well. I have witnessed first hand the loss of all of this in the Arrow Lakes valley from big dams. Hydro energy cannot be deemed "clean" energy when the result is the destruction of rivers. The Clean Energy Act of BC is flawed. Thank you.

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