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British Columbia Utilities Commission Sixth Floor 900 Howe Street Vancouver, B.C. V6Z 2N3

Attention: Ms. Laurel Ross, Acting Commission Secretary and Director

Dear Ms. Ross:

Re: FortisBC Inc. (FBC)

**Project No. 3698875** 

Application for the Net Metering Program Tariff Update (the Application)

**FBC** Request to Amend the Regulatory Timetable

On April 15, 2016, FBC filed the Application referenced above. FBC writes to request an amendment to the Regulatory Timetable established by British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC or the Commission) Order G-59-16 for a two-week extension to the remaining dates.

FBC received in excess of 270 information requests (IRs), which is significantly more than had been anticipated when the Commission set the Regulatory Timetable in Order G-59-16, which only allowed for one week to responder to intervener IRs. Given the volume of IRs received, FBC believes that a two-week extension to the Regulatory Timetable is reasonable and necessary.

FBC proposes the following amendments to the Regulatory Timetable.

Action	Current Date (2016)	Proposed Date (2016)
FBC Response to BCUC and Intervener IRs	Wednesday, June 22	Wednesday, July 6
Deadline for Letters of Comment (if any)	Monday, June 27	Monday, July 11
FBC Final Argument	Wednesday, June 29	Wednesday July 13
Intervener Final Argument	Thursday, July 7	Thursday, July 21
FBC Reply Argument	Thursday, July 14	Thursday, July 28

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FBC believes that parties should not have an objection to the proposed Regulatory Timetable given it does not adjust the time allotment for the remaining action items. FBC, therefore, respectfully requests the Commission amend the Regulatory Timetable as proposed.

If further information is required, please contact Corey Sinclair, Manager, Regulatory Services at 250-469-8038.

Sincerely,

FORTISBC INC.

## Original signed:

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cc (email only): Registered Parties