

BC HYDRO SMART CHOICES CONTEST

1. CONTEST PERIOD:

The British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority (“BC Hydro”) Smart Choices Contest (the “Contest”) begins on September 30, 2016, at 12:00 p.m. Pacific Time (“PT”) and ends on November 14, 2016, at 8:00 a.m. PT (the “Contest Period”).

2. ELIGIBILITY:

NO PURCHASE REQUIRED. The Contest is open to all legal residents of British Columbia who have reached nineteen (19) years of age at the time of entry and otherwise comply with these rules (the “Contest Rules”). Employees of BC Hydro, its affiliates, advertising and promotional agencies and the immediate family (mother, father, brother, sister, son, daughter, spouse) and household members of those persons are not eligible.

3. HOW TO ENTER:

To enter for a chance to win the Grand Prize, visit www.powersmart.ca during the Contest Period. By accessing www.powersmart.ca, the user will automatically be redirected to www.bchydro.com and prompted to follow the on-screen instructions in order to enter the Contest. The user can complete and submit the Contest entry form (which requires the entrant to provide the following information: first & last name, email, phone number) to be entered for the Grand Prize. All Contest entry forms must be received by the end of the Contest Period. All entries become the property of BC Hydro and will be stored and destroyed in compliance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. BC Hydro is not responsible for and accepts no liability for late, lost, misdirected, delayed, or incomplete entries.

Limit one entry per person during the Contest Period. Any person that attempts to obtain more than the allowable number of entries into the Contest and/or uses multiple names or identities to enter the Contest will be disqualified.

4. PRIZES:

Grand Prize: One (1) Grand Prize package is available to be won during the Contest Period, consisting of one Maytag Front Load Washer with Fresh Hold Option and PowerWash System 5.2 cu. ft. (Model # MHW5500FW, approximate retail value of \$1198.00 CDN) and one Maytag Front Load Electric Dryer with Sanitize Cycle and PowerDry System 7.4 cu. ft. (Model # YMED5500FW, approximate retail value of \$1298.00) with a total approximate retail value of \$2496.00 CDN (the “Grand Prize”).

All Prizes: Prizes are not transferable and must be accepted as awarded with no substitutions in cash or otherwise, except in BC Hydro’s exclusive discretion. BC Hydro reserves the right, in the event that any prize or any component of a prize cannot be awarded as described for any reason, to substitute another prize or component of a prize of equal or greater value, without liability.

5. WINNER SELECTION:

Grand Prize: A random draw will be conducted on or around November 21, 2016, by BC Hydro to select one (1) entrant from all eligible Contest entries to win the Grand Prize (the “Selected Entrant”). The chances of winning depend on the total number of eligible entries received throughout the Contest Period.

Before being declared a winner, the Selected Entrant will be contacted by phone or email and be required to (a) correctly answer a mathematical skill-testing question and (b) sign and return BC Hydro's Declaration and Release form, which confirms compliance with these Contest Rules, acknowledges acceptance of the Grand Prize as awarded, and releases BC Hydro from any and all liability in connection with this Contest and Prize. At least three (3) attempts will be made over the ten (10) days following the draw to contact the Grand Prize Selected Entrant. If a Selected Entrant cannot be contacted, fails to correctly answer the skill-testing question, fails to complete and return the Declaration and Release Form within the two (2) business days, or cannot accept the Grand Prize for any reason, then at BC Hydro's sole discretion that person will be disqualified and another entrant will be selected by random draw from remaining eligible entries. BC Hydro is not responsible for the failure for any reason whatsoever, including its own negligence or due to computer, telephone or technical problems, of the Selected Entrant to receive notification or for BC Hydro to receive the Selected Entrant's response.

6. PRIVACY:

BC Hydro will use any personal information provided with the entry, including the entrants' name, address, postal code, email, and phone number for the purpose of administering the Contest and for BC Hydro's marketing and promotional purposes, both inside and outside of Canada, as contemplated by these Contest Rules. BC Hydro collects and uses personal information and runs this Contest in furtherance of its conservation mandate under the *Clean Energy Act* and in accordance with the provisions of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. If you have any questions about how BC Hydro collects, uses or discloses your personal information, please contact Denise Le at 604-623-3800.

7. GENERAL CONDITIONS:

By entering the Contest, entrants accept and agree to be bound by these Contest Rules and the decisions of BC Hydro, which shall be final and legally binding. No correspondence will be entered into by BC Hydro with respect to the Contest except with selected entrants. BC Hydro reserves the right to terminate or amend this Contest at any time without prior notice. The Contest is subject to the laws of the Province of British Columbia and all applicable federal and municipal laws.

8. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:

By entering this Contest, all entrants agree to release, discharge and hold harmless BC Hydro and its partners, affiliates, advertising/promotional agencies, and their respective employees, officers, directors, representatives and assigns from any claims, losses and damages arising out of their participation in this Contest and the acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of any prize awarded hereunder. BC Hydro, and any of its employees, officers, directors, agents, contractors, representatives, affiliates, subsidiaries, or advertising/promotion agencies (collectively, the "Released Parties") assume no responsibility whatsoever and are not be liable for: (i) any failure of the Contest webpage during the Contest; (ii) any technical malfunction or other problems relating to the telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers, access providers, computer equipment or software; (iii) errors of any kind whether human, mechanical, electronic, network, or otherwise arising out of or relating to the Contest; (iv) any injury or damage to an entrant's or any other person's computer or other device related to or resulting from participating in the Contest; and/or (v) any combination of the above. Persons who tamper with or abuse any aspect of the Contest or website, as solely determined by BC Hydro, will be disqualified.