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Mr. Patrick Wruck Commission Secretary and Manager Regulatory Support British Columbia Utilities Commission Suite 410, 900 Howe Street Vancouver, BC V6Z 2N3

Dear Mr. Wruck:

RE: British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC or Commission) Boralex Ocean Falls Limited Partnership - Extension Request to File the 2019 Rate Application

BC Hydro writes to respond to the Commission's letter dated August 20, 2019 requesting participants to comment on Boralex Ocean Falls Limited Partnership's (Boralex) request for an extension to the filing date of its rate application to no later than September 30, 2019 (**Extension Request**).

Although BC Hydro is disappointed with Boralex's request for an extension, it does not oppose the Extension Request. However, BC Hydro would likely oppose any further extension request past the September 30, 2019 proposed filing date.

For further information, please contact Anthea Jubb at 604-623-3545 or by email at <u>bchydroregulatorygroup@bchydro.com</u>.

Yours sincerely,

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