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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: Project No. 1598947

British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC or Commission)

British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority (BC Hydro)

BC Hydro Application Requesting the Commission set a Rate for Boralex

LP's Electricity Service to BC Hydro

BC Hydro writes to report on its on-going discussions with Boralex Ocean Falls Limited Partnership (**Boralex LP**) of a possible negotiated long-term electricity purchase agreement (**EPA**) renewal between the parties.

Since BC Hydro last reported to the Commission on November 30, 2018 regarding the discussions with Boralex LP, the parties have met once with the facilitator. BC Hydro also met with the facilitator separately.

BC Hydro anticipates there will be further discussions during January 2019, including discussions with the assistance of the facilitator. We will provide our next report to the Commission on the progress of the discussions with Boralex LP by January 31, 2019.

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

Yours sincerely,

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