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Ms. Marija Tresoglavic
Acting Commission Secretary and Manager
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British Columbia Utilities Commission
Suite 410, 900 Howe Street
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Dear Ms. Tresoglavic:

**RE: British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC or Commission)
British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority (BC Hydro)
City of Coquitlam (City) Application for Reconsideration and Variance of
Order G-80-19 (Reconsideration Application)**

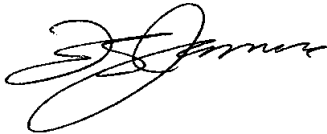
BC Hydro writes in response to BCUC Order No. G-277-20 in which the BCUC requested interveners to provide their submissions on the City's proposals in Exhibit B-17, including the information filed by the City and further process.

BC Hydro does not object to the City referring to the filed information in its argument, specifically: (i) the decision of Mr. Justice Abrioux in *Coquitlam (City) v. British Columbia Utilities Commission*, 2020 BCCA 289; and (ii) the *Canadian Energy Regulator Act*, SC 2019, c 28, as amended.

With respect to further process, BC Hydro has no concerns about this proceeding moving to final argument. However, in BC Hydro's view, completing the argument phase by Thursday, December 17, 2020, as suggested by the City, is not realistic. BC Hydro prefers that the argument phase be scheduled so that it is completed in early 2021.

For further information, please contact Chris Sandve at 604-974-4641 or by email at bchydroregulatorygroup@bchydro.com.

Yours sincerely,



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