



**ORDER NUMBER
G-2-25**

IN THE MATTER OF
the *Utilities Commission Act*, RSBC 1996, Chapter 473

and

Creative Energy Vancouver Platforms Inc.
Creative Energy 2024 Long-Term Resource Plan

BEFORE:

M. Jaccard, Panel Chair
A. C. Dennier, Commissioner
B. A. Magnan, Commissioner

on January 10, 2025

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- A. On November 25, 2024, Creative Energy Vancouver Platforms Inc. (Creative Energy) filed with the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) an application (Application) seeking acceptance of its 2024 Long-Term Resource Plan (LTRP) for the Core Thermal Energy System (Core TES) pursuant to sections 44.1(2) and 44.1(6) of the *Utilities Commission Act* (UCA);
- B. Creative Energy further seeks an order that Creative Energy file its next long-term resource plan on or before 24 months after Creative Energy's Core Steam System Decarbonization Project is in service.
- C. The Panel has commenced review of the Application and determines that the establishment of a public hearing and a regulatory timetable is warranted.

NOW THEREFORE the BCUC orders as follows:

1. A public hearing is established for the review of the Application in accordance with the regulatory timetable set out in Appendix A to this order.
2. On or before Friday, January 17, 2025, Creative Energy is directed to:
 - a. Provide notice of the Application and this order on its website at <https://creative.energy/>;
 - b. Provide a copy of this order and the Public Notice attached as Appendix B to this order, electronically where possible, to all known affected and potentially affected parties including, but not limited to, all customers of the Core TES, the City of Vancouver, and registered interveners in the following BCUC proceedings: 2024 Revenue Requirements for the Core Thermal Energy System, Creative Energy's 2021 Long Term Resource Plan, 2022 Certificate of

Public Convenience and Necessity for the Core Steam System Decarbonization Project, and 2022 Beatty-Expo Plants Redevelopment Project Final Design; and

- c. Provide notice of the Application and this order, or post the Public Notice attached as Appendix B to this order, on its existing social media platforms. Weekly reminder posts must be published on each platform until the conclusion of the intervener registration period on Friday, January 31, 2025.
3. Creative Energy is directed to provide to the BCUC by Wednesday, February 5, 2025 confirmation of compliance with Directive 2, including a list of the social media platforms on which public notice was provided, as well as a list of all parties notified.
4. In accordance with the BCUC Rules of Practice and Procedure, parties who wish to actively participate in the proceeding must complete a Request to Intervene Form, available on the Get Involved in a Proceeding section of the BCUC's website at <https://www.bcuc.com/GetInvolved/GetInvolvedProceeding>, by Friday, January 31, 2025.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 10th day of January 2025.

BY ORDER

Electronically signed by Mark Jaccard

M. Jaccard
Commissioner

Attachment

Creative Energy Vancouver Platforms Inc.
2024 Long-Term Resource Plan

REGULATORY TIMETABLE

Action	Date (2025)
Creative Energy public notice of application	Friday, January 17
Intervener registration deadline	Friday, January 31
Creative Energy confirmation of compliance with public notice requirements	Wednesday, February 5
BCUC Information Request (IR) No. 1 to Creative Energy	Friday, February 14
Intervener IR No. 1 to Creative Energy	Friday, February 21
Creative Energy responses to BCUC and Intervener IR No. 1	Thursday, March 20
Further process	To be determined



We want to hear from you

CREATIVE ENERGY 2024 LONG-TERM RESOURCE PLAN

On November 25, 2024, Creative Energy Vancouver Platforms Inc. (Creative Energy) filed its 2024 Long-Term Resource Plan (LTRP) Application requesting acceptance of its LTRP for the Core Thermal Energy System. The LTRP shows how Creative Energy will meet customers' energy needs over the next 25 years while transitioning to providing low-carbon energy services. Please visit the [Proceeding webpage](#) on bcuc.com under "Our Work" to learn more.

To participate in the proceeding, visit www.bcuc.com/get-involved.

GET INVOLVED

- **Submit a letter of comment**
- **Subscribe to the proceeding**
- **Request intervener status**

IMPORTANT DATES

1. **Friday, January 31, 2025** – Deadline to request intervener status with the BCUC
2. **Friday, February 21, 2025** – Deadline for interveners to submit information requests on the application

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