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BC Utilities Commission
Suite 401, 900 Howe Street
Vancouver, BC V6Z 2N3

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority (BC Hydro): 2020 Street Lighting Rate Application

On behalf of the District of Logan Lake Council, please accept this letter in opposition to BC Hydro's proposed 2020 Street Lighting Rate Application.

The Application, submitted by BC Hydro in November 2020 seeks approval for an increase in the monthly rate charged per street light which includes a surcharge to recover the costs incurred by BC Hydro to convert existing High-Pressure Sodium (HPS) lighting fixtures to LED fixtures.

While the District of Logan Lake supports the environmental benefits that will result from the conversion to LED technology, we are not in support of a surcharge rate downloaded to municipalities to cover the disposal of existing lights and their associated depreciation costs.

As such, we respectfully request that the District's concerns be considered in the evaluation of BC Hydro's Street Lighting Rate Application.

Yours truly,



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Director of Corporate Affairs

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Cc: Jackie Tegart, MLA; City of Prince George