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Request Number: 201.20.2017-158 (A copy of the formal SbD report with the names and qualifications of those conducting this study, the safety related requirements included in the RFP tender documents and the test reports that were provided, in response, by ITRON, and the third party (NEETRAC) reports on ITRON's remote disconnect switch)

16 December 2016

Ms. Sharon Noble
818 Bexhill Place
Victoria, BC
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Dear Ms. Noble:

Re: *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* ('the Act')
— Request for records

I am writing further to the above-noted request.

Usually, BC Hydro responds to a request within 30 days of its receipt. In this case, however, BC Hydro needs to consult with third parties before making a decision with respect to disclosure. Consequently, and in accordance with section 10(1)(c) of the Act, BC Hydro is extending by 30 days the time period for responding to your request. The revised due date is 20 February, 2017.

If you have any questions about BC Hydro's extension of the response period regarding this request, please call me. You may also ask the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner for BC ('the OIPC') to review BC Hydro's time extension by writing to the OIPC at the following address:

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner for BC
4th Floor, 947 Fort Street
Victoria, B.C.
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If you ask for a review, please provide the OIPC with a copy of this letter and a copy of your request.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Scott Macdonald". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'S'.

Scott Macdonald