

July 10, 2013

Alberta Utilities Commission  
Facilities Division  
425 First Street SW  
Calgary, Alberta T2P 3L8

Attn: Kal Elkassem, P.Eng., Engineer Specialist

Re: MEG Energy Corp. CLRP Phase 3A Power Plant Application  
Supplemental Information Request Responses

In response to your Supplemental Information Requests dated June 4, 2013, MEG is pleased to provide the enclosed responses.

Please contact me at (403) 781-1027 if additional information is required.

Regards,



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Regulatory Team Lead

Cc: Simon Geoghegan, MEG Energy



**AUC-MEG-3**

**Reference:** Project Application, Exhibit 0001.00.MEG-2613, page 2 (PDF)

**Issue:** Application pursuant to Section 11 of the Hydro and Electric Energy Act

**Quote:** “MEG Energy Corp. hereby makes application to the Alberta Utilities Commission pursuant to Section 11 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* for the construction and operation of the Phase 3A cogeneration facility as part of the Phase 3 expansion of the Christina Lake Regional Project.”

**Preamble:** In the current application before the AUC, MEG is applying for approval pursuant to Section 11 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* to construct and operate a natural gas fuelled 85 megawatt (MW) co-generation facility, designated as Co-gen 3, being part of its expanded Christina Lake Regional Project (CLRP) Phase 3A.

The project description described in this application does not mention any request to pursue sections 14, 15 and 18 of *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* regarding the construction, operation and connection of the new Tamarack substation 173S, new 260-kilovolt (kV) transmission line and alteration of the existing Conklin 762S substation of Phase 3A.

**Request:** (a) Please confirm that the current application is pursuant to only Section 11 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* with respect to the 85-MW co-generation facility of Phase 3A.

(b) If the current application is only is pursuant of Section 11 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*, please provide a schedule as to when MEG will file an application to the AUC in pursuant of sections 14, 15 and 18 with respect to the construction, operation and connection of the new Tamarack substation 173S, new 260-kV transmission line and alteration of the existing Conklin 762S substation of Phase 3A.

**Response:** (a) Confirmed.

(b) MEG will be filing a Facilities and Connection Application to the AUC in pursuant of sections 14, 15 and 18 with respect to the construction, operation and connection of the new Tamarack substation 173S, new 260-kV transmission line, alteration of the existing Conklin 762S substation and connection of the Phase 3A co-generation facility that forms the Phase 3A expansion of CLRP. The approximate schedule for filing of these applications is Q3 2013.

**AUC-MEG-4**

**Reference:** Plant ESLD, Figures, Exhibit 0002.00.MEG-2613

**Issue:** Figures are illegible

**Preamble:** Text, fonts, graphics and other information on Figures 4, 5 and 7 in Appendix A are too small and illegible. Because of low image resolution, zooming in to attempt to read the information on the figures was an exercise in futility.



**Request:** Please re-submit all figures in their original high resolution electronic format so that the figures can be clearly depicted either in hard copies or electronically in PDF format.

**Response:** The requested figures are attached to this transmittal as individual PDF files.