Decision 26306-D01-2021



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EDF Renewables Development Inc. Ownership Transfer Proceeding 26306 Application 26306-A002

## Power plant approval and substation permit and licence ownership transfer

1. EDF EN Canada Development Inc., pursuant to Approval U2013-300<sup>1</sup> and Permit and Licence 22514-D02-2017,<sup>2</sup> has approval to operate the Blackspring Ridge Wind Power Plant and Blackspring Ridge 485S Substation, located in the Carmangay, Alberta area.

2. EDF EN Canada Development Inc., by Application 26306-A002, registered on February 9, 2021, filed an application with the Alberta Utilities Commission under Section 19 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*, to reflect the corporate name change from EDF EN Canada Development Inc. to EDF Renewables Development Inc. in the power plant approval and substation permit and licence for the Blackspring Ridge Wind Power Plant and Blackspring Ridge 485S Substation.

3. In accordance with the requirements of Section 23 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*, EDF Renewables Development Inc. is registered in Alberta under the *Business Corporations Act*.<sup>3</sup> Based upon the information provided, EDF Renewables Development Inc. has demonstrated that it is eligible to hold the power plant approval and substation permit and licence in its name.

4. The Commission grants the approval of the requested ownership name change for the power plant approval and substation permit and licence.

5. The Commission finds Condition 5 in Approval U2013-300 has been satisfied. Accordingly, Condition 5 of Approval U2013-300 has been removed.

6. The Commission has not received documentation in response to Condition 6 in Approval U2013-300. Accordingly, Condition 6 of Approval U2013-300 remains as-is in the approval. This condition will be added as a direction in the Commission's eFiling System.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Power Plant Approval U2013-300, Proceeding 2640, Application 1609647, July 5, 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Substation Permit and Licence 22514-D02-2017, Proceeding 22514, Application 22514-A001, May 12, 2017.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Exhibit 26306-X0001, Certificate of Extra-Provincial Name Change.

EDF Renewables Development Inc. can file a submission in response to Condition 6 for the Commission's consideration.

7. The Commission approves the application. Approval 26306-D02-2021 and Permit and Licence 26306-D03-2021 are attached.

8. The Commission may, within 30 days of the date of this decision and without notice, correct typographical, spelling and calculation errors and other similar types of errors and post the corrected decision on its website.

## Alberta Utilities Commission

(original signed by)

JP Mousseau Executive Director, Facilities Division On behalf of the Alberta Utilities Commission

Attachments