

**IN THE MATTER OF the *Public Utilities Act***

**and**

**An Application by Yukon Electrical Company Limited  
for Approval of Revenue Requirements for 2013 through 2015 inclusive**

**BEFORE:**                    B. McLennan, Chair                    )                    April 23, 2014  
                                  A. Fortin                                    )  
                                  R. Boisvert                                )  
                                  N. Prasad                                 )

**BOARD ORDER 2014-06**

**WHEREAS:**

- A. On May 27, 2013, Yukon Electrical Company Ltd. (YECL or Company) filed with the Yukon Utilities Board (Board), pursuant to the *Public Utilities Act* (Act), and Order-In-Council 1995/90, an Application requesting an order approving a forecast revenue requirement for the 2013, 2014 and 2015 test years, an interim refundable rate rider effective July 1, 2013, approval for the continued use of deferral accounts listed in the application, approval to discontinue purchasing third party distribution line (property) insurance after July 1, 2014 and approval of the updated depreciation parameters;
- B. The General Rate Application proposes a revenue requirement of \$54,956,000 for 2013, \$58,707,000 for 2014, and a revenue requirement for 2015 of \$61,187,000;
- C. The Board issued Board Order 2013-02 on June 6, 2013 whereby the Board provided a process schedule, pending ministerial approval;
- D. YECL received in excess of 1,100 IRs from interveners and the Board and requested an extension to the IR response deadline;
- E. The Board issued Board Order 2013-06 on August 6, 2013, whereby the Board amended the proceeding schedule and allowed YECL to provide some information responses by August 8, 2013 and a consolidation of all information responses by August 29, 2013;
- F. YECL filed information responses by August 8, 2013;
- G. On August 13, 2013, UCG submitted a motion requesting that the Board issue an order requiring YECL to provide adequate responses to certain IRs submitted by UCG and identified in the motion. UCG identified nine IR Responses that it argued were deficient;

- H. The Board set up a process pertaining to that motion and provided a ruling on that motion through Board Order 2013-07, June 7, 2013;
- I. On November 4 to 7, 2013, the Board held an oral public hearing in the City of Whitehorse, Yukon; and
- J. The Board considered the extensive evidence and the written argument and reply argument of the parties respecting the Application.

**NOW THEREFORE**, based on the reasons set out in Appendix A, the Board orders as follows:

- 1. The Board directs YECL to provide a compliance filing to the Board within 30 days of the issuance of this Order in accordance with the directions set out in the Reasons for Decision (Appendix A attached to this Order); and
- 2. The Board approves the 2012 and 2013 revenue requirement for YECL with the changes directed in the Reasons for Decision.

**DATED** at the City of Whitehorse, Yukon, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 2014.

BY ORDER



Bruce McLennan  
Chair