

For discussion purposes only. Proponents or interested parties with questions about a specific project or facility may contact the BCER directly.

FOOTNOTES

Natural Resource Authorizations: The BC Energy Regulator (BCER) will accept the natural resource authorization applications for a major transmission line prescribed under the *Renewable Energy Projects (Streamlined Permitting) Act.*

Out of Scope: Transmission towers, lines and related infrastructure (i.e. substations, transformers) are not regulated by the BCER. Infrastructure will be managed and regulated by BC Hydro and the BC Utilities Commission (BCUC).

Provincial Acts: The BCER will administer sections of other Provincial Acts, including the *Land Act, Water Sustainability Act, Heritage Conservation Act, Environmental Management Act, Mines Act, Wildlife Act, Forest Act* and the *Agricultural Land Commission Act* to authorize natural resource activities.

Related Activities: In some cases, the BCER may issue the licence of occupation as well as other natural resource authorizations for related activities.