

Retail Tariff Design Public Consultation Ex Parte Communication

In the matter of the Regulatory Authority Act, 2016 (the "RAA"), and in accordance with section 73(4)(a) of the RAA, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following parties have engaged the Regulatory Authority (the "Authority") in *ex parte* communications in connection with the 1st Round Public Consultation document on the development of the Feed-In Tariff Methodology (the "Consultation Document") published on the 27th April 2018 (the "Consultation Date"), pursuant to section 36 of the Electricity Act 2016 (the "EA").

Since the Consultation Date, the Authority has entered into the following *ex parte* communications with the Bermuda Electric Light Company Limited ("BELCO") and David Kendall ("Mr. Kendall"):

Ex parte communication with Mr. Kendall.

- 8th May 2018:
 - The Authority responded to Mr. Kendall's query and also communicated the reporting obligations specified under section 73(4) of the RAA which requires the Authority to post a notice of the *ex parte* communication on the Authority's website.
- 1st May 2018:
 - Mr. Kendall submitted an e-mail containing a written summary of his issues concerning the Consultation Document.

Ex parte communication with legal counsel for BELCO.

- 8th May 2018:
 - BELCO submitted a letter dated 8th May 2017 to the Authority to clarify that the period within which to respond to the Consultation Document has been extended to 28th May 2018.
- 4th May 2018:
 - The Authority responded to BELCO's query and noted that the deadline to respond to the Consultation Document has been extended to 28th May 2018.
- 3rd May 2018:
 - Legal counsel for BELCO submitted an e-mail message to the Authority containing a written summary of its issues concerning the deadline to submit responses to the Consultation Document.