



Annual Water Licence Rental Rates Associated With Power Production

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Commercial and General Power Generation

MAJOR WATERPOWER PRODUCTION (WITH INDEXING FACTORS APPLIED)		
Commercial power use:		
construction capacity for each kilowatt.		\$0.301
authorized capacity (other than construction capacity) for each kilowatt.		\$1.882
output for each megawatt-hour.		\$1.130
minimum annual rental for each licence.		\$100.00
General power use:		
construction capacity for each kilowatt.		\$0.377
authorized capacity (other than construction capacity) for each kilowatt.		\$3.766
output for each megawatt-hour a year up to a total of 160,000 megawatt-hours from all power developments operated by the same licensee.		\$1.130
output for each megawatt-hour a year exceeding 160,000 megawatt-hours up to a total of 3,000,000 megawatt-hours.		\$5.274
output for each additional megawatt-hour a year exceeding 3,000,000 megawatt-hours.		\$6.342
minimum annual rental for each licence.		\$200.00

Indexing of Rental Rates for Commercial and General Power Generation

INDEXING FACTOR FOR WATERPOWER COMMERCIAL AND GENERAL PURPOSE	
(a)	Water rental rates for commercial and general water power are determined by using an indexing factor.
(b)	The indexing factor for the calendar year ending December 31, 1994 was set to 1.
(c)	For each subsequent year the indexing factor will be equal to the result of multiplying the indexing factor for the previous year by (1 + the percentage of approved average general increases in the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority Electric Tariff Rate Schedule made in the preceding calendar year, excepting any rate increases resulting from the application of this regulation and passed through to ratepayers pursuant to section 61 (4) of the <i>Utilities Commission Act</i>).
(d)	Based on a BC Hydro rate increase awarded by the British Columbia Utilities Commission, the indexing factor for waterpower commercial and general purpose is 1.0906. The rates which are listed above include the revised indexing factor of 1.0906.

Power Generated by Individual Landowners (For Their Residential Use)

Item	Column 1 Purpose	Column 2 Annual Rental	Column 3 Annual Rental	Column 4 Annual Rental	Column 5 Annual Rental
		Year 2006	Year 2007	Year 2008	Year 2009
For water used by individual landowners to produce power for their residential use, the annual rental is the greater of \$100.00 or the annual rental calculated using the rental rate set out below for each 1,000 cubic metres					
residential power use		\$0.003 per 1,000 cubic metres	\$0.005 per 1,000 cubic metres	\$0.008 per 1,000 cubic metres	\$0.01 per 1,000 cubic metres

Annual Rental Rates for Water Storage Licences

Item	Column 1 Purpose	Column 2 Annual Rental	Column 3 Annual Rental	Column 4 Annual Rental	Column 5 Annual Rental
		Year 2006	Year 2007	Year 2008	Year 2009
STORAGE SECTOR:					
For all purposes under the Storage Sector , the annual rental is the greater of \$25.00 or the annual rental calculated using the rental rate set out below for each 1,000 cubic metres.					
storage purpose		\$0.006 per 1,000 cubic metres	\$0.007 per 1,000 cubic metres	\$0.008 per 1,000 cubic metres	\$0.01 per 1,000 cubic metres

Annual Rental Rates for Permits Over Crown Land (Issued With a Water Licence)

Item	Column 1 Purpose	Column 2 Annual Rental	Column 3 Annual Rental	Column 4 Annual Rental	Column 5 Annual Rental
		Year 2006	Year 2007	Year 2008	Year 2009
PERMITS TO OCCUPY CROWN LAND:					
For Item 9 (a), the annual rental for Crown land occupied by a dam is the greater of \$50.00 or the annual rental calculated using the rental rate set out below per hectare.					
For Item 9 (b), the annual rental for Crown land flooded or occupied by other works is the greater of \$10.00 or the annual rental calculated using the rental rate set out below per hectare.					
(a)	occupied by a dam	\$120.00 per hectare	\$120.00 per hectare	\$120.00 per hectare	\$120.00 per hectare
(b)	flooded or occupied by other works	\$7.45 per hectare	\$7.50 per hectare	\$7.50 per hectare	\$7.50 per hectare