SITE C CLEAN ENERGY PROJECT

FIELD STUDIES INFORMATION SHEET

Topographic Surveys: June – July 2013

The Site C Clean Energy Project is currently undergoing a cooperative environmental assessment by the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency and the B.C. Environmental Assessment Office, which includes a Joint Review Panel process. BC Hydro filed its Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) in January 2013 as part of this process. BC Hydro is continuing to conduct environmental and engineering field studies on and around the Peace River between the Williston Reservoir and the Alberta border to inform detailed mitigation planning, prepare project permits, and ensure information is gathered with respect to monitoring programs proposed in the EIS.

During the months of June and July, BC Hydro is conducting topographic surveys on Jackfish Lake Road, starting at the Highway 29 intersection and for approximately 16 kilometers north. The surveys are gathering data to advance the design of the shoulder widening for Jackfish Lake Road.

Crews, typically comprised of two or three technicians, will inspect the general topography of the existing road and surrounding areas, including taking photographs, inspecting slopes, creek, and drainage channels. Work will include completing topographical surveys, and establishing primary control by marking the route using 2" by 2" wooden markers and tie ribbons.

Field study updates are available at **www.bchydro.com/sitec** and in the Community Consultation offices in Fort St. John and Hudson's Hope.

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TOPOGRAPHIC SURVEYS
June – July 2013

- BC Hydro is conducting topographical surveys this summer on Jackfish Lake Road
- This program includes conducting site reconnaissance, topographical surveys, and establishing primary control through marking the route with wooden markers and ribbons
- Stewart Weir Bennett and Urban Systems Ltd. are leading the work

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