

Columbia Basin Regional Advisory Committee

Hydro-Operations Acronyms

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AKBLG – Association of Kootenay Boundary Local Governments

BCH – BC Hydro

BPA – Bonneville Power Administration

BRD –Brilliant Dam

CBRAC – Columbia Basin Regional Advisory Committee

CBT – Columbia Basin Trust

CCRIFC – Canadian Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fisheries Commission

COE – Cost of Energy

CPC – Columbia Power Corporation

CRT – Columbia River Treaty

DSM – Demand side management

EKKFWP – East Kootenay-Koocanusa Fish and Wildlife Program

FC – Flood control

FLOWAUG – Flow augmentation

F2020 or FY2020 – Fiscal year

FWCP – Fish and Wildlife Compensation Program

GWH – Gigawatt hours

IJC – International Joint Commission

IRP – BC Hydro’s Integrated Resource Plan

KCFS – Thousands of cubic feet per second (water flow)

KCL – Kootenay Canal

LRB – Load-resource balance

MAF – Million-acre feet

MEM – B.C. Ministry of Energy and Mines

MWH – Megawatt-hours

NTSA – Non-Treaty Storage Agreement

PEB – Permanent Engineering Board

SEV – Seven Mile Dam

STLA – Short Term Libby Coordination Agreement (pronounced “Stella”)

USACE – U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

VarQ – Variable flow

WUP – Water Use Plan