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ALASKA HYDRO ANNOUNCES RECEIPT OF CEAA ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STUDY GUIDELINES

December 27, 2016 – **Vancouver, British Columbia** –Cliff Grandison, President of Alaska Hydro Corporation, (the "Company") announced that on December 22, 2016 it received the Canadian Environmental Agency's ("CEAA") Environmental Impact Statement ("EIS") Guidelines for the Company's More Creek Hydroelectric Project. These guidelines were issued on day 42 of the prescribed timeline for the Environmental Review by the CEAA. The prescribed timelines allow the CEAA to take up to 60 days to provide EIS Guidelines after the Project Description has been accepted by CEAA and the determination made that the Project is subject an Environmental Review.

The Guidelines were subject to 30 review period, in draft, by the Company, First Nations, Stakeholders and the public. Since there were no material changes to the guidelines as result of the review, the final Guidelines were issued in a timely manner. A copy of the Guidelines will be posted on the CEAA website and on the Company's web site (www.alaskahydro.com).

The Company plans to proceed immediately with the preparation of the Environmental Impact Statement in accordance with the Guidelines. Initially the Company will compile all published relevant available data and plan site work, public and First Nations consultation.

The More Creek Project site has been covered in part by other Environmental Impact Statements such as AltaGas' Forrest Kerr and Volcano Creek Run of River projects and NovaGold's Galore Creek Mine and by BC Hydro in its Iskut Canyon and More Creek Generation Project Study

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