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The Chief Executive Officer  
Fair Trading Commission  
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**Attention: Dr. Marsha Atherley-Ikechi, Director of Utility Regulation**

Dear Madam:

**Re: Integrated Utility Service (IUS) Model Pilot Programme Application**

In June 2019, the Government of Barbados (GoB) approved, through Parliament, the Barbados National Energy Policy 2019-2030 (BNEP) and its accompanying implementation plan. The BNEP outlines a 100% RE and carbon neutral economy by 2030 and an energy sector with the maximum feasible efficiency in energy production and consumption.

Though there has been long-standing GoB policy support for energy efficiency projects and small-scale renewable energy projects, many customers of the Barbados Light & Power Company Limited (BLPC) have been unable to afford the initial project costs due to lack of access to affordable financing. Using the IUS Model, the BLPC has designed a Customer Energy Savings Financing Programme (CESF) which is an on-bill financing programme that provides customers with funding to finance the costs of certain energy efficiency and renewable energy projects and customer meter socket base replacement projects.

Pursuant to Section 16 of the Utilities Regulation Act, Cap 282 of the Laws of Barbados, the BLPC hereby attaches for the Commission's attention, Notification of its intention to establish a Customer Energy Savings Financing Programme and Application for approval to implement the CESF on a pilot basis.

We thank the Commission for its attention to this Application and remain available to provide any additional information required.

Yours faithfully

**THE BARBADOS LIGHT & POWER COMPANY LIMITED**

Adrian Carter

**MANAGER, REGULATORY AFFAIRS**

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