



EB-2008-0187

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*,
S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Hydro One
Networks Inc. for an order or orders approving just and
reasonable rates and other charges for electricity
distribution to be effective May 1, 2009.

PROCEDURAL ORDER No.1

Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board, received on November 7, 2008, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15 (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes to the rates that Hydro One charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2009. The Board has assigned the application file number EB-2008-0187. The Board issued a Notice of Application and Hearing dated December 12, 2008.

On January 30, 2009, the OEB issued its Cost Eligibility Decision.

On January 30, 2009, Hydro One filed an update to its application as a result of the Board's December 18, 2008 Decision in Hydro One's 2008 Cost of Service Rates application EB-2007-0681.

The Board is of the view that this application can be decided by way of written hearing. However, the Board may make provision for an oral component at a later date to address any issues that it feels may benefit from an oral component.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. Intervenors (including Board staff) that want information and material from the applicant that is in addition to the evidence filed with the Board, and that is relevant to the hearing, shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the

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Board and delivered to the applicant. Intervenor (including Board staff) shall file and deliver any interrogatories by **Monday, February 23, 2009**.

2. The applicant shall file with the Board complete responses to the interrogatories and deliver them to the intervenors no later than **Monday, March 9, 2009**.

All filings to the Board must quote file number EB-2008-0187, be made through the Board's web portal at www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at www.oeb.gov.on.ca. If the web portal is not available you may e-mail your document to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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Board Secretary