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BY E-MAIL

April 6, 2009

Mr. Yoon Kim
Applications Analyst
Hydro One Networks Inc.
8th Floor, South Tower
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Toronto ON M5G 2P5

Dear Mr. Kim:

**Re: Application for Leave to Sell Assets under Section 86(1)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act* to Hydro Ottawa Limited.
Board File Number EB-2009-0097**

This letter acknowledges receipt on March 30, 2009 of the above referenced application. The Board has assigned file number EB-2009-0097 to this matter. Please refer to this number in all future correspondence to the Board regarding this matter.

Your application is currently incomplete and cannot be processed until the following has been filed:

1. Clarification with respect to the type of the assets proposed to be sold from Hydro One to Hydro Ottawa (i.e. distribution assets, transmission assets or both transmission and distribution assets). The letter dated March 27, 2009 that accompanied the above application indicates that Hydro One is requesting leave of the Board to sell distribution assets to Hydro Ottawa. A letter from Hydro Ottawa dated February 20, 2009 filed with the application, among other things, requests that the Board deem the assets to be distribution assets once the sale is approved. This request is also reflected in the application. Hydro Ottawa's request suggests that some of the subject assets may be transmission assets and Hydro Ottawa is requesting the Board to deem them distribution assets under section 84 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*. If this is correct, please confirm this understanding and provide details including a list of the assets that are classified as transmission assets. If this is not correct, please clarify the relief sought by Hydro Ottawa.

The letter dated March 27, 2009 that accompanied the above application states that “the assets being sold in this transaction are described in the attached Joint Agreement of Sale...” The referenced “Joint Agreement of Sale” was not filed with the application. Although this document is not required to begin the process of reviewing this application, providing it at the same time as the required information may expedite the review process.

The Board will resume processing your application once the above information has been filed. If the above information is not filed within 30 days of the date of this letter, the Board may close the file for this application.

Upon receipt of the required information the Board will issue an acknowledgement letter indicating the expected date on which a decision and/or order may be rendered.

Please file two paper copies of the additional material and an electronic version in Word and in searchable Adobe Acrobat (if available) with the Board Secretary. Electronic copies may be submitted on diskette or by e-mail to boardsec@oeb.gov.on.ca.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Gona Jaff, Advisor, Licencing Applications at 416-440-7613 or e-mail, Gona.Jaff@oeb.gov.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

John Pickernell
Assistant Board Secretary

cc: Lynne Anderson, Hydro Ottawa Limited