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## **NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS AND HEARING**

**Great Lakes Power Distribution Inc. – Application for an Electricity Distribution Licence**

**Great Lakes Power Limited – Application to Transfer Electricity Distribution Rate Order**

**Great Lakes Power Limited – Application to Cancel Electricity Distribution Licence**

**Great Lakes Power Limited – Application to Transfer Electricity Distribution System**

**Great Lakes Power Transmission Inc. on behalf of Great Lakes Power Transmission LP – Application for Electricity Transmission Licence Amendment**

**Great Lakes Power Limited - Application to Transfer Customer Delivery Point Performance Standards Approval and Customer Connections Procedures Approval**

**Great Lakes Power Limited – Application to Cancel Electricity Transmission Licence**

Great Lakes Power Limited (“GLPL”), Great Lakes Power Distribution Inc. (“GLPD”) and Great Lakes Power Transmission Inc. (“GLPT”) on behalf of Great Lakes Power Transmission LP (“GLPTLP”) (altogether, the “Applicants”) filed applications with the Ontario Energy Board (the “Board”) dated March 6, 2009 under sections 18, 60, 74, 77(5) and 86(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15, Schedule B (the “OEB Act”).

These applications are made in light of the expiration of GLPL's exemption from section 71 of the OEB Act which prohibits distributors and transmitters from conducting activities other than distribution or transmission except through affiliates.

GLPL is seeking leave of the Board to sell all of its distribution assets to an affiliate, GLPD. GLPL is also seeking leave to transfer its current distribution rate order dated December 24, 2008 to GLPD. GLPL has subsequently requested the cancellation of its electricity distribution licence (ED-2008-0343). GLPD has applied to the Board for an electricity distribution licence to operate the distribution system.

GLPT on behalf of GLPTLP has applied for a licence amendment to its electricity transmission licence (ET-2002-0247) to operate the transmission system. GLPL is seeking leave of the Board to transfer its Customer Delivery Point Performance Standards Approval and its Customer Connection Procedures Approval to GLPT. GLPL has also requested that the Board cancel its transmission licence (ET-2008-0342).

The Board has assigned the following file numbers to these matters:

- EB-2009-0072 – transfer of the existing distribution rate order dated December 24, 2008; new distribution licence; and cancellation of distribution licence (ED-2008-0343).
- EB-2009-0073 – transfer of the distribution system.
- EB-2009-0075 - Amendment of transmission licence ET-2007-0649; transfer of Customer Delivery Point Performance Standards Approval and Customer Connections Procedures Approval; and cancellation of transmission licence (ET-2008-0342)

### **How to see the Application**

A copy of the application and related documents are available for inspection at the Board's offices in Toronto and on its website, [www.oeb.gov.on.ca](http://www.oeb.gov.on.ca). A

copy can also be viewed at the Applicants' offices at the addresses indicated below and may be viewed on their websites.

### **How to Participate in the Proceeding**

The application will be decided by way of written hearing unless a party satisfies the Board that there is good reason for holding an oral hearing. If you object to a written hearing in this matter, you must provide written reasons why an oral hearing is necessary. Any objections to a written hearing must be received by the Board and copied to the applicant within 10 days of the date this notice was served. The Board does not intend to provide for an award of costs when deciding this application.

If you wish to participate in the written hearing, please file a written submission setting out your views on the application with the Board and deliver it to the applicant no later than 21 days after the date this notice was served.

If the applicant wishes to respond to the submission(s), the written response must be filed with the Board and delivered to all parties who made submissions no later than 28 days after the date this notice was served.

### **How to File Documents with the Board**

If you already have a user ID, please submit your submission through the Board's web portal at [www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca](http://www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca). Additionally, two paper copies are required. For instructions on how to file and naming conventions, please refer to the RESS Document Guidelines found at [www.oeb.gov.on.ca](http://www.oeb.gov.on.ca), e-Filing Services. Those who do not have internet access are asked to submit their submission on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper copies. You may also send your submission by post or e-mail to the addresses below.

In responding to this Notice, please include Board file numbers EB-2009-0072, EB-2009-0073 and EB-2009-0075 in the subject line of your e-mail or at the top of your document. It is also important that you provide your name, postal address and telephone number and, if available, an e-mail address and fax number. 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.

**Need More Information?**

Further information on how to participate may be obtained by visiting the Board's Web site at [www.oeb.gov.on.ca](http://www.oeb.gov.on.ca) or by calling our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727.

**IMPORTANT**

**IF YOU DO NOT FILE AN OBJECTION TO A WRITTEN HEARING OR IF YOU DO NOT FILE A WRITTEN SUBMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE, THE BOARD MAY PROCEED WITHOUT YOUR PARTICIPATION AND YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO FURTHER NOTICE IN THE PROCEEDING.**

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**(for viewing copies of the applications)**

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**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

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