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Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P. O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700 Toronto, ON, M4P 1E4

Re: Consultation on Energy Issues Relating to Low-Income Consumers (EB-2008-0150)

Dear Ms. Walli:

On May 11, 2009 the Ontario Energy Board ("the Board") requested nominations for two working groups for the Low-Income Energy Assistance Program ("LEAP"). The Coalition of Large Distributors ("CLD"), consisting of Enersource Hydro Mississauga, Horizon Utilities, Hydro Ottawa, PowerStream, Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited and Veridian Connections, have worked together on this proceeding for greater efficiency. The CLD would like to have representatives with regulatory expertise on each of the working groups, as follows below. We understand that the Electricity Distributor's Association will also be making nominations.

Financial Assistance Working Group

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Conservation Working Group

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Both Mr. Lenartowicz and Ms. Griffiths Savolaine are integral members of the regulatory departments of their respective companies. The CLD is confident that they both will provide valuable input into the process from a large distributor's perspective.



We understand that the Board may also form a working group related to Customer Service. The CLD will also be very interested in participation on this working group when it is formed. None of the members of the CLD will be requesting cost awards.

Yours truly

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