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

Dear Ms. Walli:

RE: EB-2009-0077 Proposed Amendments to the Distribution System Code (the "DSC")

On behalf of the Ontario Waterpower Association (the "OWA"), we request an extension of time to file comments in the above-referenced proceeding. The deadline for filing comments is tomorrow, and the OWA has not yet found out whether it will be eligible for a cost award. Because the OWA is a non-profit organization with limited resources, cost awards are extremely important for the OWA to participate in Board proceedings in a meaningful way.

Therefore, we request a short extension to July 7 to file comments. Should the OWA be found eligible for costs, this extension will provide the OWA with sufficient time to prepare meaningful comments that we trust will be of assistance to the Board.

Yours very truly,

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