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BY E-MAIL ONLY

September 10, 2009

Mr. Douglas Bradbury
Director, Regulatory Affairs
Canadian Niagara Power Inc.
1130 Bertie Street
Fort Erie ON L2A 5Y2

Dear Mr. Bradbury:

**Re: Notice of Proposal under Section 81 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*
Canadian Niagara Power Inc. Board File No. EB-2009-0312**

On August 7, 2009, Canadian Niagara Power Inc. filed a notice of proposal under section 81 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the "Act") to construct and reinforce transmission facilities in and around Fort Erie. The leave to construct application (EB-2009-0283) that this notice of proposal is related to was filed on July 16, 2009.

This letter is to inform you that your notice of proposal under section 81 of the Act is being held in abeyance and will be scheduled to coordinate with the leave to construct application. Accordingly, the Board's review of the notice of proposal is suspended until further notice.

Please direct any questions relating to the notice of proposal application to Irina Kuznetsova, Advisor, Licence Applications at 416-440-8138 or e-mail, Irina.Kuznetsova@oeb.gov.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

John Pickernell
Assistant Board Secretary

cc: Jonathan Myers, Torys LLP