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BY E-MAIL

October 28, 2009

Michael Audet Chief Executive Officer E.L.K. Energy Inc. 172 Forest Avenue Essex, ON N8M 3E4

Dear Mr. Audet:

Re: E.L.K. Energy Inc.

2010 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (2010 IRM2) Rate Application Board File Number EB-2009-0197

This letter acknowledges the Board's receipt, on October 19, 2009, of your 2010 IRM2 application. The Board has assigned file number EB-2009-0197 to this matter. Please refer to this number in all future correspondence to the Board regarding this matter.

The Board will issue further correspondence indicating the next steps to be taken in this matter and corresponding dates.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Martin Benum at 416-440-7667, or by e-mail at martin.benum@oeb.gov.on.ca

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary