

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule. B,

AND IN THE MATTER OF notice of proposal by Kruger Energy Inc. (KEI) under section 81 of *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* to construct and operate a 100 MVA transmission substation in the Municipality of Chatham-Kent.

**NOTICE OF INTERVENTION
INDEPENDENT ELECTRICITY SYSTEM OPERATOR**

1. The Independent Electricity System Operator (the "IESO") seeks to intervene and participate in the hearing of this matter. The IESO intends to participate by, *inter alia*, making written submissions, responding to relevant interrogatories or enquiries from the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board"), Board Staff, and other interested parties in respect of this proceeding.
2. The IESO is a non-profit, non-share capital corporation independent of all other participants in the Ontario electricity industry. The IESO is established under the *Electricity Act, 1998* to administer the Ontario wholesale power market and to direct the operation and maintain the reliability of the IESO-controlled grid. The IESO does not own any electric power generation or transmission facilities. It directs the operation of transmission and generation facilities, including interconnections that are situated in Ontario.
3. The authority and obligations of the IESO are established by legislation, its licence issued by the Board, and the Ontario Market Rules. In particular, the IESO's license obligates the IESO to take all reasonable steps to ensure non-discriminatory access is provided to the IESO-controlled grid for all generators, retailers, and consumers, in accordance with its responsibility for directing the operation of the transmission systems, the Market Rules, and applicable reliability standards and the

conditions of its license. The IESO is also required to identify current or emerging constraints that may adversely affect the reliability and operability of the integrated power system, as well as conduct system impact assessments in order to determine and address any adverse reliability impacts that may arise from proposed new or modified connections to the IESO-controlled grid. The proposal by Kruger Energy Inc. introduces a number of issues including, among other things, what appropriate terms and conditions that should be applied to this form of proposal in order to limit potential adverse unintended consequences that may arise by approving the proposal. For these reasons the IESO has a direct and substantial interest in the hearing of this matters.

4. The IESO wishes to receive copies of all evidence filed by the applicant and registered intervenors. The IESO asks that copies of all filed materials be sent to the IESO at the address set out below.

5. The address of the IESO is:

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6. The IESO will not be seeking an award of costs for its intervention.

DATED at Toronto this 5th day of October, 2007.

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