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Susan Frank
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Dear Ms. Frank:

**Re: Request for Confidential Treatment of Interrogatory Responses
Hydro One Networks Inc. - 2009 Cost of Service Distribution Rate
Application - Board File Number EB-2009-0096**

On October 22, 2009, Hydro One filed with the Board a request that certain interrogatory responses be held in confidence pursuant to the Board's Practice Direction on Confidential Filings. Hydro One provided complete copies of the responses for which confidential treatment was requested to the Board, and indicated that it would provide copies of these documents to interested intervenors in advance of the Board's ruling on the confidential status of the documents provided they signed the Board's Declaration and Undertaking. Several parties have signed the Declaration and Undertaking and have received the documents.

The Board has determined that it will address the issue of the confidentiality of these documents at the oral hearing on the morning of Tuesday, December 8, 2009. Any parties wishing to make submissions on this issue should be prepared to do so at this time.

The Board reminds Hydro One that section 5.1.4(c) of the Practice Direction on Confidential filings requires parties seeking confidential treatment to provide either a redacted version of the document for the public record or, where the request for

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confidentiality relates to the entire document, a non-confidential description or summary of the document. To date, the Board has not received either a redacted version or a summary of the documents

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

c: All Parties