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Ms Kirsten Walli
Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON.
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Dear Ms Walli:

**EB-2009-0096 – Hydro One Networks 2010 and 2011 Distribution Rate Application –
Draft Rate Order – Response to Intervenors Comments**

Hydro One received comments from Board Staff, CME, VECC, AMPCO and Energy Probe on its Draft Rate Order filed with the Board on April 16, 2010. All intervenors accepted the Revenue Requirement, Cost Allocation and Rate Design information provided by Hydro One in the Draft Rate Order and the additional information shared with intervenors at the briefing session held on April 20, 2010. Subject to the change identified by Hydro One in its communication to the Board on April 22, 2010, Hydro One submits that the Rate Schedules included in the Draft Rate Order should be approved.

Board Staff and CME provided comments on section 5 of the Draft Rate Order dealing with the Draft Customer Rate Notices. Hydro One will follow the direction from the Board on this matter, but notes that the amount of information that can be communicated must be limited to a one page document.

With respect to the funding to be received from the IESO for Green Energy Plan expenditures, as detailed in Exhibit 1.8 of the Draft Rate Order, Hydro One anticipates that it will receive \$458,333 monthly commencing May 2010 and \$1,700,000 commencing January 1, 2011 in relation to the \$5.5 million and \$20.4 million funding.

To enable implementation effective May 1, 2010, Hydro One requests the Final Rate Order to be issued by April 30, 2010.

As directed by the Board, all intervenors, by copy of this letter, are notified of Hydro One's response to their comments on the Draft Rate Order.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY SUSAN FRANK

Susan Frank

cc. EB-2009-0096 Intervenors (electronic)