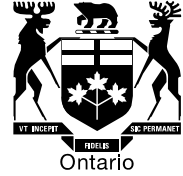


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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Atikokan Hydro Inc.
2010 Smart Meter Funding Adder Application
Board Staff Submission
Board File No. EB-2010-0185**

In accordance with the Decision and Procedural Order No. 1, please find attached Board staff's Submission in the above proceeding. Please forward the following to Atikokan Hydro Inc. and to all other registered parties to this proceeding.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Birgit Armstrong
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