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BY E-MAIL

September 7, 2010

Paul Murphy President and Chief Executive Officer Independent Electricity System Operator Station A, Box 4474 Toronto ON M5W 4E5

Re: Reporting Requirements Related to the Board's Determination Under Section 1.2.1 of the Standard Supply Service Code to Mandate Time-of-Use Pricing for Regulated Price Plan Customers

Board File No. EB-2010-0218

Dear Mr. Murphy,

On August 4th 2010 the Board issued a Determination to Mandate Time-of-Use ("TOU") Pricing (EB-2010-0218). In the letter accompanying the Determination, the Board stated that it will require the Independent Electricity System Operator (the "IESO") in its capacity as the Smart Metering Entity (the "SME") to report on a regular basis as to its readiness, performance, and progress in respect of distributor integration. This letter provides more information about these reporting requirements.

The SME must file a monthly report on its readiness, performance, and progress in respect of distributor integration. The Board expects the Report to include confirmation regarding the ability of the SME's meter data management and repository ("MDM/R") to meet the mandatory implementation schedule. The Board also expects the Report to include information and status updates on:

- The ability of the SME to achieve MDM/R enrolment and TOU implementation successfully, including:
 - Implementation and testing of new MDMR software
 - Processing performance, including measures against the IBM contracted levels of performance
 - Status of its resourcing and training programs
 - Any other issues that may affect the implementation of mandatory TOU

- MDM/R Cutover Targets Outlook;
- MDM/R Enrolled Meter Counts by Distributor;
- Distributor Testing Activities with the MDM/R Outlook; and
- The MDM/R Enrolment Wave Calendar.

The first monthly report is due on **September 20, 2010**. Subsequent monthly reports are due on the **twentieth (20th)** day of each month.

This filing should be in searchable/unrestricted Adobe Acrobat (PDF) format and should be submitted to the Board Secretary by e-mail at boardsec@oeb.gov.on.ca. The subject line of the e-mail should state: "Smart Metering Entity: MDM/R Report".

The filing will be made available for public inspection on the Board's website at www.oeb.gov.on.ca and at the office of the Board during normal business hours.

Questions regarding the reporting requirements set out in this letter should be directed to the Market Operations Hotline at market.operations@oeb.gov.on.ca. The Board's toll free number is 1-888-632-6273.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

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