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Ms. Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli,

Re: EB-2010-0220 - OPA Licence Renewal

This submission is in regard to the Ontario Power Authority's application with the Ontario Energy Board to renew its license. Given the importance of power generation to the livelihood and economy of my riding of Durham it is absolutely essential that the OPA deliver on its mandate to produce the Integrated System Plan. Further, the OPA should be required to update this long term energy plan every three years as Ontario Regulation 424/04 requires.

The OPA request to remove references to its three year review requirement threatens public transparency, access to information and accountability. I would ask that the OEB work to ensure that a regular planning and review process continues to be made part of the OPA license.

I request that I be kept informed of the proceedings related to this file. Please direct correspondence to:

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Yours truly.

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