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

Dear Ms Walli:

Re: Notice of Proceeding on Recovery of Costs and Damages for Late Payment Penalty Class Action – Board File No. EB-2010-0295 - Orillia Power Distribution Corporation Request for Withdrawal

Orillia Power Distribution Corporation ("OPDC") does not wish to participate in the above proceeding since OPDC's Board of Directors recently passed a motion to forego recovery of the penalty payable from its customers. OPDC asks to be exempted from the requirements of the Letter of Direction dated October 29, 2010 in which the Board directed that all Affected Electricity Distributors publish the Notice of Proceeding as OPDC will not be seeking recovery.

Yours truly,

Paulne Welsh

Pauline Welsh, Regulatory Officer Orillia Power Distribution Corporation

cc. John Mattinson, President & Secretary Pat Hurley, Treasurer

