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November 24, 2010

Mr. Michael Buonaguro  
Counsel  
Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition  
c/o Public Interest Advocacy Centre  
34 King Street East, Suite 1102  
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Dear Mr. Buonaguro:

**Re: Essex Powerlines Corporation ("Essex")  
2011 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (2011 IRM) Rate Application  
Board File Number EB-2010-0082  
Notice of Intervention of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition  
("VECC")**

The Board confirms VECC as an intervenor in the above noted proceeding, subject to Essex's right of reply to your request within 14 calendar days from the filing of your notice of intervention.

The Board has determined that VECC is eligible to apply for an award of costs under its Practice Direction on Cost Awards in relation to Essex's proposal for revenue-to-cost ratio adjustments. This determination is subject to Essex's right of reply to your request within 14 calendar days of the notice of intervention request from VECC.

The Practice Direction on Cost Awards and related forms are available on the Board's website at [www.oeb.gov.on.ca](http://www.oeb.gov.on.ca).

Yours truly,

*Original signed by*

Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary

cc: Richard Dimmel, General Manager, Essex Powerlines Corporation