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BY E-MAIL

December 21, 2010

Andrew Taylor, Energy Law 120 Adelaide Street West Suite 2500 Toronto, Ontario M5H 1T1

Dear Mr. Taylor,

This is in response to your e-mail letter of December 20, 2010, in which Whitby Hydro requests an extension to the time provided in the Board's Decision for Whitby Hydro to file a Draft Rate Order on its cost-of-service rate application EB-2009-0274.

The Board will extend the date for filing of the Draft Rate Order, and the subsequent steps leading up to the issuance of a Rate Order, as follows:

- 1. Whitby Hydro shall file with the Board, and shall also forward to the intervenors, a Draft Rate Order attaching a proposed Tariff of Rates and Charges and other filings reflecting the Board's findings in this Decision no later than January 7, 2011
- 2. Intervenors shall file any comments on the Draft Rate Order with the Board and forward to Whitby Hydro no later than January 17, 2011.
- 3. Whitby Hydro shall file with the Board, and forward to intervenors, responses to any comments on its Draft Rate Order no later than January 19, 2011.

Sincerely Yours

Original signed by

John Pickernell Assistant Board Secretary

cc. Intervenors