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VIA MAIL and E-MAIL

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

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Whitby Hydro Electric Corporation (Whitby)

Application for 2010 Electricity Distribution Rates

Board File No. EB-2009-0274

Draft Rate Order

As counsel for the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC), I am writing to advise the Board and Whitby Hydro that we have reviewed the Draft Rate Order circulated on January 7, 2011 and also the comments recently filed by Energy Probe Research Foundation. VECC concurs with the comments filed by Energy Probe and has no additional comments to offer.

Yours truly,

Michael Buonaguro Counsel for VECC

cc: Ms. Ramona Abi-Rashed

Whitby Hydro Electric Corporation