2008 Incentive Rate Mechanism Application Ontario Energy Board Staff Interrogatories for Hydro One Brampton Networks Inc. — EB-2007-0882

For each of the interrogatories below, please provide a complete explanation. Where applicable, clarify whether there were errors, confirming what the correct entry should have been, or justify the noted discrepancies. The format of the response should repeat the references and the interrogatories.

Ref.: Manager's Summary, Smart Meter Rate Rider

- 1. You wrote that "In addition to the above, Appendix E also identifies a permanent capital rate adjustment of \$0.12 per month per customer. This adjustment is applied to Tab 4 of the 2008 IRM Model Spreadsheet." You entered \$0.79 per metered customer per month in cells F17 to F21 of Sheet 4 of your 2008 IRM model. Please confirm that this amount is based on the sum of your approved 2007 smart meter rate adder of \$0.67 per metered customer per month plus the above mentioned \$0.12 per metered customer per month.
- 2. You wrote that "A credit of \$0.09 per month per customer is applied to the monthly service charge of the customer classes that have a smart meter rate rider applied to them." Please confirm that this is the amount you entered on sheet 9 of your 2008 IRM model.
- 3. Please confirm that the -\$0.09 per month smart meter rate rider you are proposing is to be effective from May 1, 2008, to April 30, 2009.

Ref.: Smart Meter Model Dated November 1, 2007

4. On row 160 of sheet 2, the Total OM&A costs for actual expenditures up to April 30, 2007 is \$24,000. A review of the Board Decision with Reasons dated August 8, 2007 (re: EB-2007-0063) shows that the Board approved OM&A costs for Hydro One Brampton Networks Inc. (Hydro One Brampton) was \$8000 for expenditures up to May 31, 2007. Please explain the discrepancy.

Ref.: 2008 IRM Model, Sheet 3 (2007 Tariff Sheet)

5. Monthly Rates and Charges for 700 to 4,999 kW

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that the Service Charges in rows 190 and 191 should include the descriptor "- Interval Metered".

6. Monthly Rates and Charges for Large Use

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that the Service Charges in rows 206 and 207 should include the descriptor "- Interval Metered".

7. Monthly Rates and Charges for Unmetered Scattered Load

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that the Service Charge should include the descriptor "(per customer)".

8. Monthly Rates and Charges for Standby Power

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that on row 266, the descriptor should be "Standby Charge – for a month where standby power is not provided. The charge is applied to the contracted amount (e.g. nameplate rating of generation facility)."

9. Monthly Rates and Charges for Embedded Distributor

A review of your current 2007 Board approved Tariff of Rates and Charges indicates that on row 282, the descriptor should be "Distribution Wheeling Service Rate".