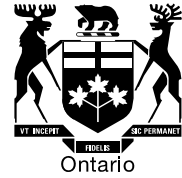


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March 4, 2011

Al Paskevicius
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McMaster University
1280 Main Street West
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LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr Paskevicius:

**Re: McMaster University
Application for an Electricity Retailer Licence
Board File No. EB-2011-0034**

The Ontario Energy Board has completed a preliminary review of your application. The Board expects to render a decision and/or order in this application on or about May 19, 2011.

The Board has now issued its Notice of Application and Written Hearing relating to your electricity retailer licence application. The Board has posted the English and French versions of the Notice on its website.

You are directed:

1. To arrange immediately for the enclosed English version of the Notice, headed with the Ontario government logo and the words "Ontario Energy Board", to be posted on your website, if available by March 11, 2011.
2. To arrange immediately for the enclosed French version of the Notice headed with the Ontario Government logo and the words "Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario", to be posted on your website, if available by March 11, 2011.
3. To make a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, available for public review at McMaster University office.

4. To inform the Board by way of letter directed to the Board Secretary that the notices have been posted on your website, immediately upon completion.
5. To provide a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

All correspondence to the Board regarding this matter must quote file number EB-2011-0034 and must consist of one electronic copy e-mailed to BoardSec@oeb.gov.on.ca and two hard copies filed with the Board Secretary.

NOTE:

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO POST THE NOTICE ON YOUR WEBSITE AS DIRECTED BY MARCH 11, 2011 OR IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A WEBSITE, YOU MUST INFORM THE BOARD IMMEDIATELY BY WAY OF LETTER DIRECTED TO THE BOARD SECRETARY.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

Encl.