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**BY E-MAIL** 

March 9, 2011

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Dear Mr. Roman:

## Re: Application for Termination of Intervenor Status by Powerline Plus Ltd. Board File No. EB-2010-0142

The Board is in receipt of your letter of March 3, 2011 requesting that Powerline Plus Ltd. ("Powerline Plus") be removed from the list of intervenors in this proceeding. This request was made on the basis that the company no longer has an interest in the matter, now that the issue of the confidentiality of its information has been dealt with by the Board.

Article 20.02 of the Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* requires that a party seeking withdrawal from a proceeding at any time before a final decision is made by the Board do so in the form of a motion seeking leave to discontinue participation. The Board finds that while Powerline Plus' letter is not in the form of a motion, the Board will consider it to be a motion for leave to discontinue participation and on that basis grants the motion without a hearing.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

cc: All registered parties J. Mark Rodger, Partner, Borden Ladner Gervais LLP