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Kirstin Walli, Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
PO Box 2319
Suite 2701
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms Walli:

**Re: Hydro One Networks Inc./Ontario Energy Board File No. EB 2007-0681
Letter of Intervention of the Consumers Council of Canada**

We are counsel to the Consumers Council of Canada (the "Council").

We have been instructed by our client to intervene the application of Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") for approval for changes to the rates it charges for electricity distribution.

The Council is a non-profit, public interest entity, representing the interests of residential consumers of electricity in Ontario, including ratepayers of Hydro One. The outcome of the proceeding will have a material impact on the rates paid by residential consumers of electricity.

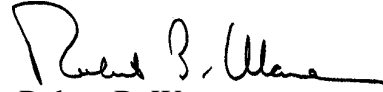
The Council believes that an oral hearing is necessary. Hydro One is proposing a very significant change in the structure of its rates. There will certainly be issues on which parties will disagree with the positions taken by Hydro One, and disagree with the evidence filed in support of those positions. The only way that those differences can be explored in a way which is fair to all parties is in an oral hearing.

The Council represents the interests of Consumers of electricity. The Council has no funds of its own to support its intervention, and accordingly the Council intends to seek an order, at the conclusion of the proceeding, for its costs.

We would appreciate your having all notices with respect to the proceeding, and copies of all evidence, delivered to the writer. In addition, an electronic and hard copy of all materials should be sent to the Council's consultant, Julie Girvan. Ms. Girvan's contact information is: 2 Penrose Road, Toronto, ON M4S 1P1, telephone: (416) 322-7936, fax: (416) 322-9703, e-mail: jgirvan@ca.inter.net.

Yours very truly,

WeirFoulds LLP

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert B. Warren", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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cc: Hydro One Networks Inc.
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