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May 12, 2011

Ms. Kirsten Walli
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Wasaga Distribution Inc. - Extension to Mandated Time-of-Use Pricing Date
for Regulated Price Plan Consumers
Board File No.: EB-2011-0094**

Please find enclosed Board Staff's submission respecting the above application.

Please forward the submission along with this cover letter to the applicant in this proceeding.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

George Dimitropoulos
Advisor, Licence Applications

Attachment



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BOARD STAFF SUBMISSION

**Application for Extension to Mandated Time of
Use Pricing Date for Regulated Price Plan
Consumers**

Wasaga Distribution Inc.

EB-2011-0094

May 12, 2011

BACKGROUND

Wasaga Distribution Inc. ("Wasaga Distribution") filed an application dated April 2, 2011 with the Ontario Energy Board for a licence amendment granting an extension in relation to the mandated date for the implementation of Time-of-use ("TOU") pricing rates for Regulated Price Plan consumers.

Wasaga Distribution has applied for an extension to its mandated June 2011 TOU pricing date and requested a new TOU pricing date of November 2011. Wasaga Distribution states the extension is necessary as a result of delays experienced implementing a new customer information system and advanced metering infrastructure and technical issues that have arisen during testing with the Independent Electricity System Operator.

The Board issued a Notice of Application and Hearing on April 12, 2011. Board staff filed interrogatories on the application on April 29, 2011. Wasaga Distribution responded to these interrogatories on May 5, 2011.

This submission is being provided by Board staff following a review of the application and evidence filed in this proceeding.

STAFF SUBMISSION

Having reviewed the application and evidence, Board staff has no issue with Wasaga Distribution's request.

All of which is respectfully submitted.