

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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

Wellington North Power Inc.

EB-2011-0114

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BACKGROUND

Wellington North Power Inc. ("Wellington North") filed an application dated April 15, 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.

Wellington North has applied for an extension to its mandated June 2011 TOU pricing date and requested a new TOU pricing date of January 2012. Wellington North states the extension is necessary due to complications arising from implementing a customer information system conversion.

The Board issued a Notice of Application and Hearing on April 28, 2011. Board staff filed interrogatories on the application on May 12, 2011. Wellington North responded to these interrogatories on May 19, 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 Wellington North's request.

However, Board staff does note that from interrogatory response Question b) # 3 Wellington North's self-certification was deemed incomplete by the MDM/R. Board staff requests that Wellington North in its reply submission indicate why test results were deemed incomplete, what steps have been taken to ensure the acceptance of the test results and as the next date for testing was May 20, 2011, what the results of this test were.

All of which is respectfully submitted.