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VIA E-MAIL and FAX

Ms. K. Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board Suite 2701 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Re: Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation
Application for 2008 Electricity Distribution Rates
Board File No EB-2007-0755

Dear Ms. Walli:

In response to the Board's letter of January 22, 2008 and Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation's right of reply to the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) as an intervenor, in the above noted proceeding, Chapleau PUC has examined the representation of the (VECC) consisting of the Federation of Metro Tenants Association and the Ontario Coalition of Senior Citizens' Organizations (OSCO) and found no such representation in the Town of Chapleau, therefore we wish to enquire as to who their representatives are with these two organizations within the Town of Chapleau, and/or who has been recently represented by them within our jurisdiction.

Chapleau PUC with its small customer base of 1,375 strongly feels that in order to be cost effective and efficient in all our business endeavors is to avoid expenditures that we consider to be frivolous and unnecessary in nature that will ultimately be born by all our customers.

We therefore request that VECC not be granted intervenor status in this proceeding on the basis that they have no representation within the Town of Chapleau and whose participation would add no tangible value and would add unnecessary costs.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Marita Morin, Secretary - Treasurer Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation

cc: Michael Buonaguro Counsel for VECC Bill Harper Econalysis Consulting Services