

EB-2011-0222

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application under section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for an electricity transmission licence.

PROCEDURAL ORDER No. 2

Upper Canada Transmission Inc. ("Upper Canada") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board, received on June 3, 2011, under section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 for an electricity transmission licence.

The Board's Notice of Application and Hearing was issued on June 20, 2011. Hydro One Networks Inc. and Great Lakes Power Transmission L.P. filed intervention requests. Canadian Niagara Power Inc. requested observer status.

The Board issued Procedural Order No. 1 on July 8, 2011 in which the requests for intervenor and observer status were granted and provision was made for interrogatories and submissions. Procedural Order No. 1 directed Upper Canada to respond to interrogatories from Board staff and intervenors on or before August 2, 2011.

On July 28, 2011, Upper Canada filed a letter with the Board requesting an extension of time to file its responses to interrogatories and proposed a new schedule for the balance of events in this proceeding. Upper Canada provided reasons for its extension request which included the need for careful consideration of its position on certain topics in light of recent relevant determinations by the Board.

The Board hereby grants the requested extension and adopts the schedule proposed by Upper Canada for the balance of events in this proceeding.

Accordingly, the Board considers it necessary to make provision for the following procedural matter. Please note that this Procedural Order may be amended, and further procedural orders may be issued from time to time.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Upper Canada shall file with the Board and deliver to intervenors complete responses to the interrogatories no later than **August 26, 2011**.
- 2. If Board staff or intervenors wish to make a submission on the merits of the application, Board staff or intervenors must file that submission with the Board, and deliver it to Upper Canada by **September 8, 2011.**
- 3. If Upper Canada wishes to file a response to a submission on the merits of the application, the response must be filed with the Board and delivered to the intervenors by **September 22, 2011.**

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2011-0222, consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format made through the Board's web portal at www.errr.ontarioenergyboard.ca. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties should use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at www.ontarioenergyboard.ca. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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DATED at Toronto, August 2, 2011.

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