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January 17, 2003

Mr. David J. Collie President Burlington Hydro Inc. 1340 Brant Street Burlington, ON L7R 3Z7

Dear Mr. Collie:

Re: Burlington Hydro Inc.

Retail Rate Adjustment Due to Delayed Billing Process

Board File No. RP-2002-0077/EB-2002-0353

As a result of the passage of Bill 210 on December 9, 2002, this application has been discontinued and considered closed as per subsection 4(11) of Bill 210 which amends the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* with the addition of subsection 79.3 (5). This subsection provides that any applications made under section 78 and commenced before December 9, 2002 are discontinued on December 9, 2002.

If you would like to reapply in this matter, the legislation now requires you to obtain the written approval of the Minister of Energy before you make a new application to the Board under section 78.

Yours truly,

Paul B. Pudge Board Secretary