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**BY E-MAIL** 

December 19, 2011

Gordon Potts McLean's Mountain Wind LP 30 St. Clair Avenue West, Suite 1700 Toronto Ontario M4V 3A1

## LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Potts:

## Re: McLean's Mountain Wind LP Application for Leave to Construct Transmission Facilities Board File No. EB-2011-0394

The Board has issued its Notice of Application ("the Notice") with respect to the above matter.

You are directed:

- 1. To conduct a search of title forthwith, sufficient to determine the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in the lands directly affected by the proposed line and facilities;
- 2. To immediately serve a copy of each of the Notice and the Application, either personally, by courier, or by registered mail upon:
  - a. All directly affected property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in lands identified by the search of title referred to above;
  - b. Hydro One Networks Inc.
  - c. Each electricity distributor within whose service area the proposed line and facilities are or will be located.

- d. All generators connected directly to the Hydro One Networks Inc. transmission lines to which the proposed line will connect.
- e. All transmission customers of Hydro One Networks Inc. connected directly to the transmission lines to which the proposed line will connect.
- f. All owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications (e.g., telephone) or other utilities along or crossing the routes proposed for the project.
- g. The Clerks of all Municipalities that would be affected by the project.
- h. All Aboriginal groups with any interest in the lands affected by the subject project, including the Union of Ontario Indians, the United Chiefs and Councils of Manitoulin Island, the Wikwemikong Unceded Indian Reserve, and the Métis Nation of Ontario.
- i. The following provincial government ministries and agencies:
  - i. Ministry of Energy
  - ii. Ministry of Environment;
  - iii. Ministry of Natural Resources
  - iv. Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs
  - v. Ministry of Transportation
  - vi. Ministry of Government Services
  - vii. Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
  - viii. Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport;
  - ix. Ministry of Attorney General
  - x. Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
  - xi. Electrical Safety Authority
  - xii. Independent Electricity System Operator
  - xiii. Ontario Power Authority
  - xiv. Ontario Realty Corporation;
- 3. To immediately have the Notice published, headed with the Ontario Government logo and the words "Ontario Energy Board", in one edition of each of the English language newspapers having, according to the best information available, the highest circulation in the Municipality of Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands, the geographic Township of Howland and the geographic Township of Bidwell in the District of Manitoulin, Ontario;

<u>NOTE</u>: Please make it clear to each newspaper that invoices regarding publication are not to be sent to the Board.

4. To file with the Board affidavit evidence proving the above service and publication immediately upon completion, with the relevant Notices, Application, and original post office registration receipts (where applicable), or courier confirmation lists

attached as appendices. It is not necessary for the affidavits of publication to have newspaper tear sheets attached;

- 5. To immediately, or as soon as it is ready, have copies of the Application, the prefiled evidence and any additional materials as they are developed, made available for convenient public perusal at the head office of McLean's Mountain Wind LP ("McLean's") and the office of its counsel and at other offices if so identified in the Notice, and to post all such documents on McLean's website;
- 6. To immediately provide copies of the Application and pre-filed evidence and any additional materials as they are developed, to the offices of the municipalities listed in the Notice, if any, and to request them to make such documents available for convenient public perusal;
- 7. To immediately provide a copy of McLean's Application and pre-filed evidence, and any additional materials as they are developed, to any person upon request.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

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Copies to: Art Jacko, Mnidoo Mnising Power LP J. Sidlofsky, Borden Ladner Gervais LLP