Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2011-0437

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

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by E2 Energy Inc. to renew Electricity Retailer Licence ER-2006-0292.

By delegation, before: Jennifer Lea

DECISION AND ORDER

The Ontario Energy Board received an application to renew electricity retailer licence ER-2006-0292 from E2 Energy Inc. on December 19, 2011. The Board has assigned the application file number EB- 2011-0437.

The licence that is the subject of the renewal application was issued to the applicant on February 20, 2007 and remains in force until February 19, 2012. The licence provides that the term may be extended by the Board.

Because the current licence will expire prior to final determination of the renewal application, and because the applicant wishes to continue to retail electricity in Ontario, the applicant has requested that the term of licence ER-2006-0292 be extended until the Board makes a final decision with respect to the renewal application.

Considering the time required to process an application in accordance with the Board's established practice and procedures, and considering the applicant's need for a licence to continue its electricity retailing activities in Ontario, I find that it is in the public interest to make an order extending the term of licence ER- 2006-0292 until such time as the renewal application is determined or March 31, 2012, whichever is earlier. The applicant is reminded that this decision does not constitute a final decision on the application.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

The term of the electricity retailer licence EW-2006-0292 is extended until the final determination of the renewal application or March 31, 2012 whichever is earlier.

DATED at Toronto, February 2, 2012.

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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