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VIA MAIL and E-MAIL

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge St. Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

# Re: Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) Submission of VECC Interrogatories EB-2011-0205 Westario Power Inc.

Please find enclosed the interrogatories of VECC in the above-noted proceeding. We have also directed a copy of the same to the Applicant.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

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Michael Buonaguro Counsel for VECC Encl.

cc: Westario Power Inc. Mr. Alvin Allim

## ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

## IN THE MATTER OF

the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15 (Schedule B), as amended;

#### AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by

Westario Power Inc. for an order or orders approving or fixing just and reasonable distribution rates to be effective May 1, 2012.

# Information Requests of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC)

Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM)

#### VECC Question # 1

Reference: Exhibit 1, Elenchus LRAM Report dated October 4, 2011

<u>Preamble</u>: Westario Power seeks an LRAM claim of \$357,937.04 for energy savings from 2006 to 2010 OPA CDM activities, for the years January 1, 2006 through April 30, 2012.

- a) Please confirm that the LRAM amounts Westario Power is seeking to recover in this application are new amounts not included in past LRAM claims.
- b) When was Westario Power's load forecast last approved by the Board? Please discuss how any CDM savings have been accounted for in Westario Power's approved load forecast.

#### VECC Question # 2

Reference: Elenchus Report, Table One, OPA Results Net kWh

a) Please complete the following table by year at the program measure level to add to the data shown in Table One:

Program	Energy Measure	# Units	Free Ridership Rate	Energy Savings (kWh/yr)	Measure Life	Contribution to LRAM (kWh)

- b) List and confirm OPA's input assumptions for Every Kilowatt Counts (EKC) 2006 including the measure life, unit kWh savings and free ridership rate for Compact Fluorescent Lights (CFLs) and Seasonal Light Emitting Diodes (LED). Confirm some of these assumptions were changed in 2007 and again in 2009 and compare the values.
- c) Demonstrate that savings for EKC 2006 Mass Market measures 13-15 W Energy Star CFLs & Seasonal LEDs have been removed from the LRAM claim beginning in 2010.
- d) Adjust the LRAM claim as necessary to reflect the measure lives and unit savings for any/all measures that have expired.
- e) VECC notes that the totals on Table One OPA Results Net kWh are the same as Table Two OPA Results Net kWh Adjusted to April 30, 2012. Please explain.

# VECC Question # 3

Reference: Exhibit 1, Tab 1, Schedule 6, Page 1, Elenchus LRAM Report

<u>Preamble:</u> The report indicates that the most recently published OPA 2010 Final CDM Results Summary released September 16, 2011 were used to calculate LRAM amounts.

- a) When does Westario Power expect to receive the OPA 2010 Final CDM Detailed Results?
- b) How will these results impact the LRAM claim?