

# Niagara On-The-Lake HYDRO

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**Delivered by RESS, e-mail and mail**

Dear Ms. Walli

**Re: Niagara-on-the-Lake Hydro Inc.  
Smart Meter Prudence Review  
Application Board File Number EB-2012-0036**

OEB staff has advised Niagara-on-the-Lake Hydro Inc. ("NOTLHI") that Guideline G-2011-0001 – Smart Meter Funding and Cost Recovery – Final Disposition (the "2011 Guideline") no longer requires the filing of confidential vendor agreements. Rather, Section 3.5 states that in applications, "A general description of contractual arrangements with the selected vendors should be provided."

Consequently, NOTLHI respectfully requests that the copies of the agreements originally filed with the Board in two hard copies, identified as "Addendum 10 – Confidential Materials filed with Board", be removed from the evidence of record for this application. NOTLHI will file a general description of the agreements if requested by the Board or Interveners during the course of the application.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly



Jim Huntingdon  
President