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Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli,

Re: EB 2011-0420 - Application for Leave to Construct Transmission Facilities
White River Hydro LP and Pic Mobert First Nation

We are writing to advise that Pic River First Nation is engaged in discussions with the Applicants which may address the issues raised in their intervention and consequently may lead to our client withdrawing same. We are requesting the Board grant an extension to March 12 for our client's filing of interrogatories in this matter to allow time for these discussions to take place. Whether the matters raised on the intervention can be resolved will be known by early next week and we will undertake to advise the Board of the outcome of these discussions at the earliest opportunity.

Yours very truly,

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