IN THE MATTER OF

Rideau St. Lawrence Utilities Inc. Letter of Direction Board File #:EB-2012-0100/EB-2012-0211 Notice of Application and Notice of Proceeding

- I, John Walsh, SOLEMNLY DECLARE that:
- 1. I am the Chief Executive Officer of Rideau St. Lawrence Utilities Inc. and have knowledge of the matters hereinafter deposed to.
- 2. On May 24th, 2012 a French and English version of the OEB Notice of Application by Smart Metering Entity for approval of a Smart Metering Charge and Notice of Proceeding to Determine the Appropriate Recovery Allocation of the Smart Metering Charge has been posted on the Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution website under the "What's New" section.
- 3. A copy of the Application and pre-filed evidence are available for public viewing at 985 Industrial Road, Prescott, Ontario.

AND I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Jøhn Walsh

DECLARED before me at the Town of Prescott in the County of Grenville this ASday of May 2012.

A COMMISSIONER, ETC.

Holly Christina Roode, a Commissioner, etc., Province of Ontario, for Doris Law Office Professional Corporation.

Expires May 4, 2015.