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BY E-MAIL ONLY

June 11, 2012

Mr. Michael Janigan Counsel c/o Public Interest Advocacy Centre ONE Nicholas Street, Suite 1204 Ottawa, ON K1N 7B7

Dear Mr. Janigan:

Re: Orillia Power Distribution Corporation ("Orillia")
Application for Rates (Smart Meter Cost Recovery)
Board File Number EB-2012-0261
Notice of Intervention of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC")

The Board confirms VECC as an intervenor in the above noted proceeding, subject to Orillia's right of reply to your request within 14 calendar days from the filing of your notice of intervention.

The Board has determined that VECC is eligible to apply for an award of costs under its *Practice Direction on Cost Awards* (the "Practice Direction").

The Practice Direction and related forms are available on the Board's website at www.ontarioenergyboard.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

John Pickernell Assistant Board Secretary