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**BY E-MAIL** 

June 18, 2012

Leslie Dugas Manager of Regulatory Affairs Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation 855 Confederation Street Sarnia, ON N7T 7L6

## LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Ms. Dugas:

## Re: Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation Application for 2012 Smart Meter Cost Recovery effective November 1, 2012 Board File No. EB-2012-0263

The Ontario Energy Board has now issued its Notice of Application and Hearing relating to your application for 2012 Smart Meter Cost Recovery (the "Notice"). Please note that you must publish the Notice within **fourteen days** of the date of this letter. If publication is not possible within fourteen days, you must inform the Board Secretary immediately.

You are directed:

1. To arrange immediately for the enclosed Notice, headed with the Ontario government logo and the words "Ontario Energy Board", to be published in one issue of the English language newspaper having the highest circulation, according to the best information available, in Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation's service area;

Please note that invoices regarding publication are not to be sent to the Board.

 To immediately, and no later than the date of publication of the Notice, serve a copy of the Notice directly on all intervenors of record in Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation's previous cost of service rate proceeding EB-2008-0221 and its 2012 3<sup>rd</sup> Generation Regulation Mechanism rate proceeding EB-2011-0153;

- 3. If Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation is a Host Distributor, to immediately, and no later than the date of publication of the Notice, serve a copy of the Notice directly on its Embedded Distributor(s);
- 4. To file with the Board an affidavit proving publication and service of the Notice immediately thereafter;
- 5. To make a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation's office and on its website;
- 6. To make a copy of the Notice available for public review at Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation's office and on its website; and,
- 7. To provide a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any document(s) or material(s) when serving the Notice other than document(s) or material(s) expressly required by this Letter of Direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

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