

EB-2012-0269

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O.1998, c. 15, Schedule B;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Essar Steel Algoma Inc. for an electricity wholesaler licence.

By delegation, before: Adrian Pye

DECISION AND ORDER August 2, 2012

Essar Steel Algoma Inc. filed an application dated June 8, 2012 with the Ontario Energy Board under section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for an electricity wholesaler licence.

The Board's Notice of Application and Written Hearing for an electricity wholesaler licence was posted on June 21, 2012. No parties responded to the Notice of Application and Written Hearing.

After considering the application, I find it to be in the public interest to issue the electricity wholesaler licence under Part V of the Act.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The application for an electricity wholesaler licence is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

DATED at Toronto, August 2, 2012

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Adrian Pye Manager, Licence Applications