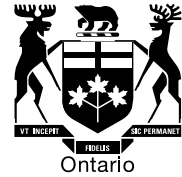


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BY E-MAIL

September 6, 2012

Christine Bell
Midland Power Utility Corporation
16984 Highway #12, P.O. Box 820
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Dear Ms.Bell:

**Re: Midland Power Utility Corporation
Application for Rates
Application Board File Number EB-2012-0147**

This will acknowledge receipt on August 31, 2012 of your 2013 cost of service rate application. The Board has assigned File Number EB-2012-0147 to this matter. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the Board regarding this matter. All information related to this matter must be filed with the Board Secretary.

The Board is currently conducting a preliminary review of your application. Upon completion of this review the Board will communicate the next steps in this proceeding.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Suresh Advani, Advisor at 416-440-7742 or suresh.advani@ontarioenergyboard.ca .

Yours truly,

Original signed by

John Pickernell
Assistant Board Secretary