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Delivered by Email and Courier

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street 26th Floor, Box 2319 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: E.L.K. Energy Inc. – 2012 Cost of Service Distribution Rate Application Board File No. EB-2011-0099

We are counsel to E.L.K. Energy Inc. ("E.L.K."), the Applicant in the above-captioned electricity distribution rate proceeding.

On May 29, 2012, the Board issued Procedural Order No.2 in this matter, in which it determined that E.L.K.'s existing rates declared interim effective July 18, 2011 would remain in place pending the hearing of the Cost of Service application for 2012 rates, and directed E.L.K. to file its Cost of Service application for 2012 rates with the Board by September 14, 2012.

E.L.K. wishes to advise the Board that while it is working diligently to complete the preparation of its Application, it will not be in a position to file it by this Friday. E.L.K. anticipates filing the Application in the later part of the week of September 21, but in any event no later than September 28, 2012. E.L.K. regrets its slight delay, and thanks the Board in advance for its consideration in this regard.

Should you have any questions or require further information in respect of this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours very truly,

BORDEN LADNER GERVAIS LLP

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