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BY E-MAIL ONLY

September 25, 2012

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

Dear Mr. Janigan:

Re: Festival Hydro Inc. ("Festival Hydro") 2013 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (2013 IRM) Rate Application Board File Number EB-2012-0124 Notice of Intervention of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC")

The Board confirms VECC as an intervenor in the above noted proceeding, subject to Festival Hydro'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") in relation to Festival Hydro's proposed revenue-to-cost ratio adjustments and proposed incremental capital module.

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

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary