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**BY E-MAIL ONLY** 

October 16, 2012

Jeff Hammond Senior Vice President Dufferin Wind Power Inc. Suite 4550 TD Canada Trust Tower 161 Bay Street, P.O. Box 203 Toronto ON M5J 2S1

## LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Hammond:

## Re: Dufferin Wind Power Inc. Application for Leave to Construct Transmission Facilities Board File No. EB-2012-0365

The Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") has now issued its Notice of Application and Hearing (the "Notice") with respect to the above application.

Dufferin Wind Power Inc. ("DWPI") is directed:

- 1. To conduct a search of title forthwith, sufficient to determine the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in the lands directly affected by the proposed line and facilities.
- 2. To immediately serve a copy of each of the Notice and the Application, either personally, by courier, or by registered mail upon:
  - a. All directly affected property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in lands identified by the search of title referred to above;
  - b. Each electricity distributor within whose service area the proposed line and facilities are or will be located;

- d. All transmission customers of Hydro One Networks Inc. connected directly to the transmission lines to which the proposed line will connect;
- e. All owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications (e.g., telephone) or other utilities along or crossing the routes proposed for the project;
- f. The Clerks of all Municipalities that would be affected by the project, including:
  - County of Dufferin;
  - Town of Shelburne; and
  - Townships of Amaranth and Melancthon.
- g. All Aboriginal groups with any interest in the lands affected by the subject project, including the First Nation and Métis groups referred to in the Applicant's letter to the Board dated October 10, 2012:
  - Beausoleil Chippewas of Christian Island 30;
  - Chippewas of Georgina Islands First Nation;
  - Chippewas of Mnjikaning First Nation;
  - Chippewas of Rama Mnjikaning First Nation 32;
  - Chippewas of Nawash Unceded First Nation;
  - Kawartha Nishnawbe First Nation;
  - Saugeen Ojibway Nation;
  - Saugeen First Nation;
  - Six Nations of the Grand River (Part) 40;
  - Six Nations of the Grand River Haudenosaunee Confederacy Council;
  - Great Lakes Métis Council; and
  - Métis Nation of Ontario.
- h. The following provincial government ministries, agencies and organizations:
  - Ministry of Energy;
  - Ministry of Infrastructure;
  - Ministry of Environment;
  - Ministry of Natural Resources;
  - Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs;
  - Ministry of Transportation;
  - Ministry of Government Services;
  - Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing;
  - Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport;
  - Ministry of Attorney General;
  - Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs;
  - Electrical Safety Authority;
  - Independent Electricity System Operator; and
  - Ontario Power Authority.

3. Immediately arrange for the enclosed English version of the Notice, headed with the Ontario Government logo and the words "Ontario Energy Board", to be published in one edition of the English language newspaper having, according to the best information available, the highest circulation in the Municipalities in item 2.f. of this letter.

NOTE: Please make it clear to each newspaper that invoices regarding publication are not to be sent to the Board.

- 4. To file with the Board affidavit evidence proving the above service and publication immediately upon completion, with the relevant Notices, Application and location map, and original post office registration receipts (where applicable), or courier confirmation lists attached as appendices. It is not necessary for the affidavits of publication to have newspaper tear sheets attached.
- 5. To immediately, or as soon as it is ready, have copies of the Application, the prefiled evidence and any additional materials as they are developed, made available for convenient public perusal at the head office of DWPI, and to post all such documents on DWPI's website.
- 6. To immediately provide copies of the Application and pre-filed evidence and any additional materials as they are developed, to the offices of the Municipalities listed in item 2.f. of this letter, and to request that the Municipalities make such documents available for convenient public perusal.
- 7. To immediately provide a copy of the Application and the pre-filed evidence, and any additional materials as they are developed, to any person upon request.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

cc: Mr. Jonathan Myers, Torys LLP