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Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary
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Dear Ms Walli:

**Re: EB-2007-0672/Regulated Price Plan ("RPP")
Consultation on Time-of-Use ("TOU") Pricing Framework**

I Introduction

We are counsel to the Consumers Council of Canada (the "Council"). The Council has received the Board's posting regarding the Board's consultation process to assist it in determining whether there is a need to modify the current methodology for setting TOU electricity prices under the RPP. We have been instructed by our client to accept the Board's invitation to participate in the Board's consultation process.

II Participation

The Council represents the broad spectrum of residential consumers of electricity in Ontario. The issues being considered in the consultation are important to the interests of the constituency our client represents. Representatives of the Council have been active participants in all of the Board's processes and proceedings addressing the use of TOU pricing and smart meters.

The Council intends to make written comments on the Staff Discussion Paper dated April 17, 2008.

Our client wishes to be on the distribution list for future developments in this consultation. In addition to the writer, as legal counsel, please include on the distribution list our client's consultant, Julie Girvan. Ms Girvan will be the Council's principal representative in this matter. Her contact information is:

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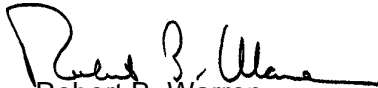
III Costs

Our client intends to seek cost eligibility and accordingly seek an award of costs at the end of the consultation.

The Council is a non-profit, public interest entity, representing the interests of residential consumers of electricity in Ontario. The outcome of the proceeding will have an impact on residential consumers of electricity. Our client has no funds to support its intervention, and will be seeking costs for its participation in this proceeding. In all processes and proceedings, including those dealing with TOU rates and smart meters, for which cost awards have been available, our client has been found eligible to receive 100% of its reasonably-incurred costs.

Yours very truly,

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