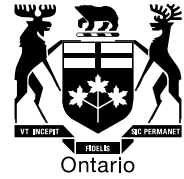


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December 11, 2012

Kirsten Walli  
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution Inc.  
Application for Rates  
Application Board File Number EB-2012-0164**

The Board's Notice of Application issued November 7, 2012 set out the dates for interrogatories and submissions to be filed with respect to Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution Inc.'s 2013 IRM application. Interrogatories were due on or before Friday, December 7, 2012. Responses from Rideau St. Lawrence would have been due on December 21, 2012.

Board staff regrets that it was unable to file its interrogatories by the deadline. Board staff respectfully requests an extension to the date to file interrogatories to Thursday, December 13, 2012. If the request is granted, Board staff suggests that any responses be due by January 11, 2013.

Yours truly,

*Original signed by*

Josh Wasylyk  
Advisor, Applications

c. John Walsh , Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution Inc.  
Peter Soules, Rideau St. Lawrence Distribution Inc.