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BY E-MAIL

January 22, 2013

Jamie Waller Hydro One Remote Communities Inc. 483 Bay Street 8th Floor - South Tower Toronto ON M5G 2P5

LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Waller:

Re: Hydro One Remote Communities Inc. Application for Distribution Board File No. EB-2012-0137

The Ontario Energy Board has now issued its Notice relating to your Distribution application. Please note that you must publish the notice within thirty days of the date of this letter. If publication is not possible within thirty days, you must inform the Board staff contact given at the bottom of this letter immediately.

You are directed:

- To arrange immediately 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 issue of the English language newspaper having the highest paid circulation, according to the best information available, in Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.'s service areas;
- To arrange immediately for the enclosed French version of the Notice headed with the Ontario Government logo and the words "Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario", to be published in one issue of the French language newspaper having the highest circulation, according to the best information available, in Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.'s service areas;

3. To arrange immediately for the enclosed Cree, Ojibway, and Oji-Cree versions of the Notice to be published in one issue of the Cree, Ojibway, and Oji-Cree language newspaper having the highest circulation, according to the best information available, in or servicing service areas;

Please note that invoices regarding publication are not to be sent to the Board.

- 4. To immediately, and no later than the date of publication of the Notice, serve a copy of the Notice directly on all intervenors of record in Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.'s previous cost-of-service application EB-2008-0232, namely:
 - Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada
 - Energy Probe Research Foundation
 - Nishnawbi Aski Nation
- 5. To file with the Board, both electronically and hard copy, an affidavit proving publication and service of the Notice immediately thereafter;
- 6. To make a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.'s office and on its website, if available; and,
- 7. To provide a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any document(s) or material(s) when serving the Notice other than document(s) or material(s) expressly required by this Letter of Direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

Encl.

cc. Michael Engelberg