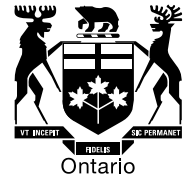


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February 4, 2013

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Dear Mr. Lyle:

**Re: Renewable Energy Supply Generators
Application to Review Market Rule Amendments MR-00381-R02, MR-00381-
R03, MR-00381-R04, MR-00381-R05 and MR-00381-R06
Board File Number: EB-2013-0029**

On January 22, 2013, the Board directed the Independent Electricity System Operator (the "IESO") to produce certain materials with a view to their being placed on the public record of the above-noted proceeding (the "Market Rule Amendment Proceeding"). Based on a letter filed with the Board by the IESO on February 1, 2013, the Board understands that the Ontario Power Authority (the "OPA") intends to assert confidentiality in relation to nine documents that have to date been produced by the IESO only a redacted basis. The nine documents in question are identified in Schedules B and C of the IESO's letter. The Board further understands from that letter that the Ministry of Energy also intends to assert confidentiality in relation to one of those documents.

The Board has today issued its Procedural Order No. 2 in the Market Rule Amendment Proceeding, and a copy of that Procedural Order is attached. The IESO's February 1, 2013 letter is attached as Appendix B to the Procedural Order.

As set out in section C of the Procedural Order and the portion of the Board's Order that appears on page 9, the Board is directing the OPA to file the nine documents in question by February 6, 2013, and to do so in accordance with the provisions of Rule 10 of the Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* and of the Board's *Practice Direction on Confidential Filings*. We draw your attention to the following statement, which appears at page 8 of the Procedural Order:

If the Ministry of Energy wishes to make a submission in respect of the confidential treatment of the document listed in Schedule C of the IESO Letter, it may do so directly within the same timelines as set out for the OPA in this Procedural Order, or it may do so through the OPA.

We also draw your attention to section D of the Procedural Order, which states that issues associated with the confidential treatment of the nine documents are expected to be on the agenda for the Settlement Conference scheduled for February 8, 2013 and that the Board expects the OPA to attend and participate in the relevant portion of that Settlement Conference.

Should you have any questions, please contact Martine Band, Associate General Counsel, at 416-440-8117 or martine.band@ontarioenergyboard.ca.

Yours truly,

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Attachment: Procedural Order No. 2 dated February 4, 2013

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