



**EB-2013-0070**

## **NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING**

**PowerStream Inc.**

### **BOARD-APPROVED CONSERVATION AND DEMAND MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

PowerStream Inc. ("PowerStream") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board"), dated March 13, 2013 seeking Board approval for a conservation and demand management ("CDM") program – Direct Install Refrigeration Program.

The Board has assigned file number EB-2013-0070 to this application.

The application has been filed pursuant to the Board's CDM Code that was issued on September 16, 2010. The CDM Code was developed by the Board in response to a Directive from the Minister of Energy dated March 31, 2010.

The program for which PowerStream is seeking approval is the Direct Install Refrigeration (DIR) program to partially address its projected shortfall against its 2011-2014 CDM targets. The DIR program is projected to cost \$4.1 Million and generates 3.3MW and 19.6 GWh of net savings, representing an additional 3.5% and 4.8% towards PowerStream's 2011-2014 demand and energy targets, respectively. The DIR program addresses market-specific needs of small commercial customers, a market segment that PowerStream claims is underserved by the Electricity Retrofit Incentive Initiative within the Provincial Commercial & Industrial Program.

#### **How to see PowerStream Inc.'s Application**

To see a copy of the application, go to the Consumer page of the Board's website and enter the case number EB-2013-0070 in the "Find an Application" box. Copies of the

application are available for inspection at the Board's office in Toronto and at PowerStream's office and on its website, [www.powerstream.ca](http://www.powerstream.ca).

### **Hearing**

The Board will hold either an oral or written hearing for this application. Further direction in this respect will be provided in due course.

### **How to Participate**

You may participate in this proceeding by requesting either intervenor or observer status, or by submitting a letter of comment:

1. Intervenors participate actively in the proceeding (i.e., submit written questions, evidence, and arguments, and cross-examine witnesses at an oral hearing). You may request intervenor status by sending a letter of intervention to the Board and copying PowerStream no later than 10 days from the publication or service date of this notice.

The letter of intervention must include:

- a. A description of how you are, or may be, affected by the outcome of this proceeding;
- b. If you represent a group, a description of the group and its membership; and
- c. Whether you intend to seek an award of costs and the grounds for your cost award eligibility.

2. Observers do not participate actively in the proceeding but receive documents issued by the Board in the proceeding. (There is no fee for observers to receive documents issued by the Board.) You may request observer status by sending a request to the Board no later than 10 days from the publication or service date of this notice.

3. Letters of Comment are to be sent to the Board no later than 30 days from the publication or service date of this notice. All letters of comment will be placed on the public record, subject to the privacy terms for personal information stated below. This means that the letters will be available for viewing at the Board's offices and will be placed on the Board's website.

### **YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION IS TREATED DIFFERENTLY DEPENDING ON HOW YOU CHOOSE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE HEARING:**

- **Intervenors** - everything you file with the Board, including your name and contact information, will be placed on the public record (i.e., the public file and the Board's website).
- **Letters of comment or observers** - the Board removes any personal (i.e., not business) contact information from the letter of comment or the request for observer status (i.e., address, fax number, phone number, and e-mail address of the individual), however, your name and the content of the letter of comment or of the request for observer status will become part of the public record.

### **Filing Information for Intervenors**

If you already have a user ID, please submit your intervention request through the Board's web portal at <https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/>. Additionally, two paper copies must be submitted to the address set out below.

If you do not have a user ID, visit the Board's website under e-Filing Services and complete a user ID/password request form. For instructions on how to submit documents and naming conventions please refer to the RESS Document Guidelines found at <http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry>, e-Filing Services.

The Board also accepts interventions by e-mail, at the address below. Additionally, two paper copies must be submitted to the address set out below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit their intervention request on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies.

### **Need more information?**

For more information on how to participate please click on "Get Involved" under the "OEB and You" menu on the Consumer page of the Board's website, or call the Board at 1-888-632-6273 (toll free).

### **How to Contact the Board or PowerStream Inc.**

Please reference Board file number EB-2013-0070 in the subject line of your e-mail or at the top of your letter. It is also important that you provide your name, postal address and telephone number and, if available, an e-mail address and fax number. All

communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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**DATED** at Toronto, April 1, 2013

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

*Original Signed By*

Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary