



**EB-2013-0070**

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act*  
1998, S.O.1998, c.15, (Schedule B);

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by  
PowerStream Inc. seeking approval for a Conservation  
and Demand Management Program – Direct Install  
Refrigeration

**PROCEDURAL ORDER No. 1 and  
COST ELIGIBILITY DECISION**

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

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 address a perceived need in the marketplace and to partially address its projected shortfall against its 2011-2014 CDM targets. The DIR program is projected to cost \$4.1 Million and generates 3.3 MW 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.

On April 1, 2013 the Board issued its Notice of Application. The Notice informed interested parties of the application and the process to apply for intervenor or observer status, or how to participate through a letter of comment. The Notice further allowed parties to seek eligibility for an award of costs.

### **Decision on Intervenor Status and Cost Eligibility**

The Board received an observer request from EnergyshopCDM Inc. The Board approves EnergyshopCDM Inc. as an observer to this proceeding.

The Board received an intervention request from the Ontario Power Authority (“OPA”). The Board approves the intervention request from the OPA.

The Board also received requests for intervenor status and cost eligibility from the following parties:

Building Owners and Managers Association Toronto (“BOMA”)  
Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (“VECC”)

The Board has determined that BOMA and VECC are granted intervenor status and are eligible to apply for an award of costs in this proceeding.

### **Cost Claims**

The cost claims must be completed in accordance with the Board’s *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*. The *Practice Direction on Cost Awards* and related forms are available on the Board’s website at [www.ontarioenergyboard.ca](http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca), and should be referred to and adhered to in order to make sure all appropriate rules are followed and the correct forms are used when it is time to submit any cost claim.

### **THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:**

1. Parties and Board staff wishing to seek further information that is in addition to the pre-filed evidence are to file written interrogatories on PowerStream’s application and shall do so by **May 8, 2013**.

2. PowerStream shall file written responses to all interrogatories received from parties and Board Staff on or before **May 22, 2013**.
3. Parties and Board staff wishing to file a submission shall do so by **May 29, 2013**.
4. PowerStream shall file a reply submission received from parties and Board Staff on or before **June 5, 2013**.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2013-0070, be made through the Board's web portal at <https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/>, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guidelines found at <http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry>. If the web portal is not available you may e-mail your document to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

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 24, 2013  
**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

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Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary

**APPENDIX A TO  
PROCEDURAL ORDER NO.1 AND COST ELIGIBILITY DECISION  
APPLICANT AND LIST OF INTERVENORS**

**POWERSTREAM INC.**

**BOARD FILE No. EB-2013-0070**

**DATED: April 24, 2013**

**PowerStream Inc.  
EB-2013-0070**

**APPLICANT & LIST OF INTERVENORS**

April-24-13

**APPLICANT**

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