



**EB-2013-0083**

**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 Grand Renewable Wind LP pursuant to section 18 (1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, for leave of the Ontario Energy Board to transfer leave to construct approval granted to Grand Renewable Wind LP in EB-2011-0063, to be held jointly by Grand Renewable Wind LP and Grand Renewable Solar LP.

**BEFORE:** Paula Conboy  
Presiding Member

## **DECISION AND ORDER**

**May 2, 2013**

Grand Renewable Wind LP ("GRWLP") filed an application dated March 27, 2013, with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") pursuant to section 18(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, (the "Act") for leave of the Board to transfer leave to construct approval granted to GRWLP in EB-2011-0063 such that the approval be jointly held by GRWLP and Grand Renewable Solar LP ("GRSLP"). The Board has assigned File No. EB-2013-0083 to this application.

GRWLP filed an application (Board File No. EB-2011-0063) dated February 28, 2011 with the Board pursuant to section 92 and 97 of the Act for leave of the Board to construct a transmission line and associated facilities needed to connect the Grand Renewable Energy Park, to the Independent Electricity System Operator controlled grid. The Grand Renewable Energy Park which is located in Haldimand County, comprises a

148.7 MW wind power generation facility owned by GRWLP and a 100 MW solar power facility, owned by GRSLP.

By Decision and Order in EB-2011-0063, dated December 8, 2011, the Board granted GRWLP leave to construct the proposed transmission facilities. The leave to construct approval related to the transmission facility to be used to connect both generation facilities to the grid.

GRWLP submitted that the reason for the transfer of approval sought in the current application is that GRWLP and GRSLP have decided to jointly own the transmission facility through a co-ownership structure with each of GRWLP and GRSLP owning a 50% undivided interest in the transmission facility. All other elements of the leave to construct approval would remain the same.

Pursuant to section 21(4)(B) of the Act, the Board has decided dispose of this application without a hearing, since no other party is adversely affected in a material way by the Board's decision in this matter, and that GRWLP has agreed to disposing of this application without a hearing.

The relief sought by the GRWLP is granted.

**THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:**

1. The leave to construct approval granted to GRWLP in EB-2011-0063 is transferred and shall be jointly held by GRWLP and GRSLP. Both GRWLP and GRSLP shall be responsible for meeting the conditions of approval set out in the Board's Decision and Order in EB-2011-0063

**DATED** at Toronto, May 2, 2013

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

*Original Signed by*

Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary