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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700
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Dear Ms. Walli,

EB-2013-0141 – Hydro One Networks Inc. 3GIRM 2014 Distribution Rate Application – Request for an Oral Hearing

Hydro One requests an oral hearing for this proceeding. Hydro One is continuing to implement its Smart Grid program and is requesting additional funds in 2014 through a rate rider. Hydro One submits that it is appropriate at this point to have the Smart Grid program examined in detail through an oral hearing. The Board's clear direction on the need and prudence of Smart Grid investments will be reflected in Hydro One's ongoing activities in this area.

Sincerely,

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