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BY E-MAIL

September 9, 2013

Mr. Douglas R. Bradbury Canadian Niagara Power Inc., Fort Erie, Port Colborne & Eastern Ontario Power 1130 Bertie Street, P.O. Box 1218 Fort Erie ON L2A 5Y2

## LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Bradbury:

Re: Canadian Niagara Power Inc. - Fort Erie, Port Colborne & Eastern Ontario

Power

**Application for 2014 Distribution Rates Board File Number: EB-2013-0117** 

The Ontario Energy Board has now issued its Notice of Application and Hearing relating to your 2014 incentive regulation mechanism application (the "Notice"). Please note that you must publish the Notice within **fourteen days** of the date of this letter. If publication is not possible within fourteen days, you must inform the Board Secretary immediately.

## You are directed:

 To arrange immediately for the publication of the English version of the Notice, in the form accompanying this Letter of Direction, including all graphics and the words "Ontario Energy Board", in one issue of the English language newspaper having the highest circulation, according to the best information available, in Canadian Niagara Power's service area;

Please note that invoices regarding publication are not to be sent to the Board.

2. To arrange immediately for the enclosed French version of the Notice headed with the Ontario Government logo and the words "Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario", to be published in one issue of the French language newspaper having the highest circulation, according to the best information available, in Canadian Niagara Power's service area;

Please note that invoices regarding publication are not to be sent to the Board.

 To immediately, and no later than the date of publication of the Notice, serve a copy of the Notice directly on all intervenors of record in Canadian Niagara Power's previous cost of service rate application proceeding EB-2012-0112, namely;

> Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition School Energy Coalition Energy Probe Research Foundation

- 4. If Canadian Niagara Power is a Host Distributor, to immediately, and no later than the date of publication of the Notice, serve a copy of the Notice directly on its Embedded Distributor(s);
- 5. To file with the Board an affidavit proving publication and service of the Notice immediately thereafter;
- 6. To make a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Canadian Niagara Power's office and on its website;
- 7. To make a copy of the Notice available for public review at Canadian Niagara Power's office and on its website; and,
- 8. To provide a copy of the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any document(s) or material(s) when serving the Notice other than document(s) or material(s) expressly required by this Letter of Direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

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