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September 12, 2013

Ontario Energy Board
Attention: Ms. Walli, Board Secretary
PO Box 2319
2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700
Toronto, Ontario
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Re: *Grimsby Power Incorporated*
Application for 2014 Distribution Rates
Board File Number EB-2013-0132

Dear Madam:

As directed in your letter dated September 3, 2013, please find attached an affidavit proving publication and service of the Notice. A copy of the ad is attached.

- The Notice was published on September 11, 2013 in the Grimsby Lincoln News.
- A copy of the Notice was sent directly to all intervenors of record in the previous cost of service rate application proceeding EB-2011-0273, namely Energy Probe Research Foundation, School Energy Coalition and Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition.

We trust this meets with your approval.

Respectfully,

Doug Curtiss, P. Eng
Chief Executive Officer
Grimsby Power Incorporated



I, Doug Curtiss, CEO at Grimsby Power Incorporated of Grimsby, Ontario make oath and say as follows:

On September 11, 2013, Grimsby Power Incorporated did publish the document "Notice of Application and Hearing for an Electricity Distribution Rate Change". (EB-2013-0132) It was published in the Grimsby Lincoln News, an English language local newspaper having the largest weekly circulation.

Further, Grimsby Power Incorporated did serve a copy of the Notice directly to all intervenors on record in the previous cost of service rate application proceeding EB-2011-0273.

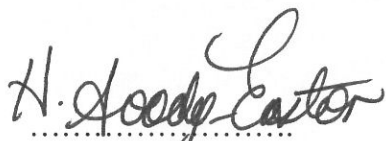

(signature)

Sworn by the said Doug Curtiss

Before me,

At Grimsby, Ontario

On the 11~~th~~ day of September, 2013


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Hazel Soady-Easton

Hazel Soady-Easton,
Clerk, Town of Grimsby,
a Commissioner, etc.,
Regional Municipality of Niagara,
for the Town of Grimsby.

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF GRIMSBY POWER INC.

**Grimsby Power Inc. has applied to lower its electricity distribution rates.
Learn more.**

Grimsby Power Inc. has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to decrease the amount it charges by approximately \$0.36 each month for the typical residential customer beginning on January 1, 2014. Other customers, including businesses, may be affected as well.

The requested rate decrease is tied to inflation (and other factors intended to promote efficiency).

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) will hold a public hearing to consider Grimsby Power's request. We will determine whether Grimsby Power has used the applicable models and formulas as required by the OEB. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide on the appropriate rate changes.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

BE INFORMED

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process. You can:

- review Grimsby Power's application on the OEB's website now;
- sign up to observe the proceeding by receiving OEB documents related to the hearing;
- at the end of the process, review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

If you want to become an active participant (called an intervenor) in this proceeding, you must apply for intervenor status to the OEB no later than **10 calendar days** after the publication or service date of this notice, or the hearing will go ahead without you, and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding. If you do not wish to become an intervenor but wish to give your opinion on the proceeding to the Board members hearing the application, you are invited to file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.

The OEB does not intend to award costs in this proceeding as Grimsby Power has only made proposals of a mechanistic nature within the OEB's guidelines.

LEARN MORE

These proposed charges relate to Grimsby Power's distribution services. They make up part of the Delivery line – one of the five line items on your bill. Our file number for this case is EB-2013-0132. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case please enter that file number at the OEB website:

www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment or sign up to observe the hearing, your name and the content of your letter or the documents you file with the OEB will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This rate hearing will be held under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).



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