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September 16, 2013

BY EMAIL & COURIER

Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
2300 Yonge St, Suite 2701  
Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Board File No. EB-2013-0234 – Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited**  
**Application under section 29 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998***  
**Intervention of Energy Probe**

Pursuant to the Notice of Application issued by the Board on September 4, 2013 in respect of Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited, Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) is hereby providing Notice of Intervention in the EB-2013-0234 proceeding for the Board's consideration.

Energy Probe has become aware of a number of issues it may wish to pursue in this Matter and has therefore availed itself of expert support. A request for funding with respect to intervention in this proceeding by Energy Probe and a request for a hard copy of evidence is enclosed.

Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

David S. MacIntosh  
Case Manager

cc: Rob Barrass, Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited (By email)  
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## Ontario Energy Board

**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 Toronto Hydro-  
Electric System Limited for an order pursuant to section 29 of the  
*Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*.

### NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

OF

### ENERGY PROBE RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) applies for intervenor status in this proceeding.

#### Statement of Interest

Energy Probe is a non-profit environmental and consumer organization which promotes economic efficiency in the use of resources. Energy Probe will be representing its residential customer supporters in Ontario, of which we have some number of thousands, and also representing a broader public interest concern with respect to the overall financial health and operational integrity of our utilities. Energy Probe will be intervening on issues which the Foundation believes to be in the public interest.

#### Intervention

Energy Probe intends to appear and participate in the hearing. Energy Probe expects to be a full-time intervenor and will be assisted by experts. Energy Probe was the sole cost award funded intervenor representing ratepayers in the Board's regulatory process to establish the methodology which is the subject of this proceeding, RP-2003-0249. Energy Probe was an active, funded intervenor in EB-2011-0120, a proceeding that concerned issues which will be revisited in this proceeding.

## Costs

Energy Probe is a non-profit organization which relies on individual donations to help protect the public interest. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Energy Probe's ability to participate in proceedings would be very limited. Energy Probe intends to seek a cost award in this proceeding, and expects to intervene responsibly, cognizant of the Board's guidelines regarding cost awards.

## Communications

Communications relating to this Notice of Intervention, including but not limited to all documents filed with the Board by Toronto Hydro-Electric Systems Limited, are required by Energy Probe and should be directed to:

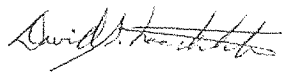
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In addition to electronic copies of evidence and communications, Energy Probe requests that one hard copy of the Application and any other supporting materials be forwarded to its Case Manager.

DATED at Toronto, Ontario this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September 2013.



David S. MacIntosh  
Case Manager