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Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

#### Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

# Re: EB-2012-0109 – Brantford Power Inc. – Supplementary Interrogatories

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). Enclosed please find supplementary interrogatories on behalf of SEC in the above-noted proceeding.

Yours very truly, Jay Shepherd P.C.

Mark Rubenstein

cc: Applicant and Intervenors (by email)

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**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act 1998*, Schedule B to the *Energy Competition Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15;

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an Application by Brantford Power Inc. for an Order or Orders approving or fixing just and reasonable rates and other services charges for the distribution of electricity as of November 1, 2013.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INTERROGATORIES

# **ON BEHALF OF THE**

# SCHOOL ENERGY COALITION

#### 1-SEC-19

[1-Staff-1] Why has the Applicant not revised its application to account for updated Test Year forecasts?

#### 2-SEC-20

[2-EP-13] Does BPI now have project specific amounts for grants and capital contributions for the Test Year? If so, please provide.

#### 2-SEC-21

[2-EP-13] Please add a column to Table 2.18 to provide actual 2013 data.

#### 2-SEC-22

[Ex. 2/3, 2-SEC-2] Please revise the Test Year capital budget to only include actual 2013 expenditures for capital projects expected to be in-service in 2013.

#### 2-SEC-23

[2-VECC-6] Please explain the basis for the Applicant choice of useful lives for the various cable categories set out on page of 2-VECC-6.

#### 4-SEC-24

[4-Staff-18] Please update the RRWF, Appendix 2-F and the response to 4-SEC-12 to account for the change in categorization of transformer investments.

#### 4-SEC-25

[4-SEC-13] Is the yearly budget for the Applicant usually approved by the Board of Directors in January? What is the Applicant fiscal year?

# 4-SEC-26

[4-SEC-17] With regards to Forestry (Tree Trimming):

- a. When did the Applicant first move to a five-year cycle?
- b. Why did the Applicant move to a five-year cycle and what was the effect of that decision?

#### 4-SEC-27

[4-VECC-28] Please explain why the Applicant includes locate services and restoration services in account 5410 Community Relations - Sundry.

Submitted by the School Energy Coalition on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2013

Original signed by

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