Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2013-0040 EB-2013-0041

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 Bornish Wind, LP, Kerwood Wind, Inc. and Jericho Wind, Inc. for an order or orders granting leave to construct a transmission line and transmission facilities;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Kerwood Wind, Inc. for an order or orders granting leave to construct a transmission line and transmission facilities.

BEFORE: Marika Hare

Presiding Member

Christine Long

Member

Peter Noonan Member

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS December 17, 2013

Background

Bornish Wind, LP, Kerwood Wind, Inc. and Jericho Wind, Inc. (the "Co-owners") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board"), dated February 8, 2013, under sections 92, 97 and 101 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15. The Co-owners applied for an order of the Board granting leave to construct an electricity transmission line and related facilities in the County of Middlesex. Kerwood Wind Inc.

("Kerwood") also applied for an order granting leave to construct an electricity transmission line and related facilities in the County of Middlesex.

On April 15, 2013, the Board issued Procedural Order No. 1, granting 15 individuals (the "Group") intervenor status and cost award eligibility.

On November 12, 2013, the Board issued its Decision and Order, in which it set out the process for the Group to file its cost claim, for the Co-owners and Kerwood to object to the claims, and for the Group to respond to any objections raised by the Co-owners and Kerwood.

The Board received a cost claim from the Group. No comments were received from the Co-owners or Kerwood.

Board Findings

The Board has reviewed the cost claim of the Group and finds it is eligible for 100% of the incurred costs of participating in this proceeding. The Board finds that the claim is reasonable and shall be reimbursed by the Co-owners and Kerwood.

THE BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

- Pursuant to section 30 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, Bornish Wind, LP, Kerwood Wind, Inc. and Jericho Wind, Inc. shall immediately pay the Group \$9,732.69.
- 2. Pursuant to section 30 of the Ontario *Energy Board Act, 1998*, Bornish Wind, LP, Kerwood Wind, Inc. and Jericho Wind, Inc. shall pay the Board's costs of and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the Board's invoice.

DATED at Toronto, **December 17, 2013**

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary