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March 4, 2013

Ms. Kirsten Walli
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Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**EB-2013-0421 – Hydro One Networks' Section 92 – Supply to Essex County Transmission
Reinforcement Project– Affidavit of Service**

As directed by the Board in the February 13, 2014 Letter of Direction, I am now attaching for filing an executed copy of the Affidavit of Service dated March 4, 2014 addressing the service of the Board's Notice of Application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Erin Henderson", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Erin Henderson

Attach.

CANADA	}	IN THE MATTER OF the <i>Ontario Energy Board Act</i> ,
	}	1998;
PROVINCE OF	}	
ONTARIO	}	AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Hydro
	}	One Networks Inc. for an Order or Orders granting leave to
	}	construct new transmission line facilities in the Windsor -
	}	Essex region in southwestern Ontario.
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CITY OF TORONTO	}	
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TO WIT:	}	

AFFIDAVIT OF ERIN HENDERSON

I, Erin Henderson, of the City of Toronto, MAKE OATH AND SAY AS FOLLOWS:

1. I am employed as a Senior Regulatory Coordinator in the Regulatory Affairs Division of Hydro One Networks Inc.
2. In accordance with paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, the Notice of Application was published in one edition of the Chatham Daily News, the Kingsville Reporter, the Wheatley Journal, and the Windsor Star newspapers on Tuesday, February 25, 2014. The English form of the Notice as published is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "A".
3. In accordance with paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, the Notice of Application was published in one edition of the Leamington Southpoint Sun newspaper on Wednesday, February 26, 2014. The English form of the Notice as published is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "A".
4. In accordance with paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, the Notice of Application was published in one edition of the

Lakeshore News (Belle River) newspaper on Thursday, February 27, 2014. The English form of the Notice as published is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "A".

5. In accordance with paragraphs 4, 5, and 6 of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, the French version of the Notice of Application was published in one edition of the of the Windsor le Rempart newspaper on Wednesday, February 26, 2014. The French form of the Notice as published is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "B".
6. In accordance with paragraph 8a, b, c, e, f, g, h, i, and j of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, the Notice of Application and Application were served upon:
 - All directly affected property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in lands affected by this project.
 - Each electricity distributor in whose service area the proposed transmission facilities are or will be located, including Entegrus Powerlines Inc., Essex Powerlines Corporation, E.L.K. Energy Inc., and Hydro One Distribution Inc.
 - All generators connected directly to Hydro One Networks Inc.'s transmission line to which the proposed transmission facilities will connect.
 - All owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications, or other utilities along or crossing the routes and locations proposed for the project.
 - The Clerks of all Municipalities that would be affected by the project.
 - The Aboriginal communities that Hydro One Networks Inc. proposed to re-notify as set out in Exhibit B-2-6, page 2 of the pre-filed evidence.
 - The Community and Special Interest Groups listed in section 4.4 of Exhibit B-5-6 of the pre-filed evidence.
 - The appropriate provincial government ministries and agencies as listed in the Letter of Direction
 - The appropriate federal government departments as listed in the Letter of Direction

A copy of the Canada Post manifests required to complete service to the above has been attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "C".

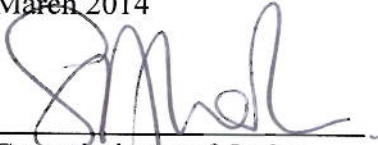
7. In reference to paragraph 8d of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2013, I am advised and hereby certify that Hydro One Networks Inc. has no transmission customers connected directly to the transmission line to which the proposed transmission facilities will connect.

8. In accordance with paragraph 10 of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, a copy of the Application, the pre-filed evidence and any additional materials are available for convenient public perusal at the Hydro One offices specified in the Application and all documents are posted Hydro One Networks Inc.'s OEB Applications webpage:

<http://www.hydroone.com/RegulatoryAffairs/Pages/OEBApplications.aspx>

9. In accordance with paragraph 11 of the Board's EB-2013-0416 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, has requested that the Application, pre-filed evidence and any additional materials be available for convenient public perusal in the offices of all municipalities affected by this project.
10. In accordance with paragraph 12 of the Board's EB-2013-0421 Letter of Direction dated February 13, 2014, I certify a copy of the application and evidence and any amendments thereto is available to anyone requesting the material.

SWORN before me at the City of }
Toronto this 4th day of }
March 2014 }



Commissioner of Oaths

SEUNG-YOUN LISA LEE



Erin Henderson

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE

Hydro One Networks Inc. has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to build a high-voltage transmission line. Learn More.

Hydro One Networks Inc. is asking the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for permission to construct approximately 13 kilometres of 230 kilovolt electricity transmission line and associated facilities in the Municipality of Leamington and the Town of Lakeshore in Essex County.

Hydro One Networks Inc. estimates the cost of the transmission line to be \$45 million and the cost of station facilities to be \$32 million. If the project is approved it will result in an increase in Ontario transmission rates and as a result increase the average monthly electricity bill of a typical customer by 0.01%. There may also be future impacts on distribution ratepayers of Hydro One Networks Inc., Essex Powerlines Corporation, E.L.K. Energy Inc. and Entegrus Powerlines Inc.

Hydro One Networks Inc. is also asking the OEB to endorse the methodology it has used to allocate the project costs.

Hydro One Networks Inc. is also asking the OEB to approve the form of agreement it offers to landowners to use their land for routing or construction of the proposed line.

A map of the proposed route for the transmission line is printed below.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. It will hold a public hearing to consider **Hydro One Networks Inc.'s** requests. During this hearing, the OEB will consider evidence and arguments by **Hydro One Networks Inc.** and by individuals, municipalities and others whose interests would be affected.

The OEB hearing will consider specific issues determined by law. The *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* specifies the issues the OEB is to consider in making its decision. If you wish to participate in the OEB hearing, it is important for you to understand what these issues are.

As required by the *Ontario Energy Board Act* the OEB will consider three issues:

- The interests of consumers with respect to prices and the reliability and quality of electricity service;
- The promotion of the use of renewable energy sources in a manner consistent with the policies of the Government of Ontario; and
- The form of agreement that **Hydro One Networks Inc.** offers to landowners affected by the route or location of the transmission line.

Most transmission lines are also subject to the Ministry of the Environment's Environmental Assessment process. Hydro One completed the Class Environmental Assessment (EA) process for this project in 2010. The Board's review will only address the three factors outlined above and will not address other factors, such as, environmental, health, aesthetics or property value impacts.

BE INFORMED

You have the right to information regarding **Hydro One Networks Inc.'s** application. You can:

- Read **Hydro One Networks Inc.'s** application on the OEB's website (See below under "Learn More").
- Sign up to be an observer, who will automatically receive documents for the hearing.

HAVE YOUR SAY

If you would be affected by the proposed transmission line, you may want to take a more active role in the hearing. You can:

- Send the OEB a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing; or
- Ask the OEB for permission to be an active participant (an intervenor) in the hearing. Intervenors can provide evidence, argue their positions and submit relevant questions (interrogatories) to be answered by **Hydro One Networks Inc.** To be an intervenor, a party must be affected by the transmission line in a way that relates directly to the issues the OEB will consider. If you wish to be an intervenor, the OEB must receive your request by **March 10, 2014.**

LEARN MORE

To read the documents concerning this hearing please go to the OEB website www.ontarioenergyboard.ca, click on "Consumers" and enter file number (EB-2013-0421) in the "Find an Application" box. You can also phone Rudra Mukherji at 1-888-632-6273 extension 608.

ORAL AND WRITTEN HEARINGS

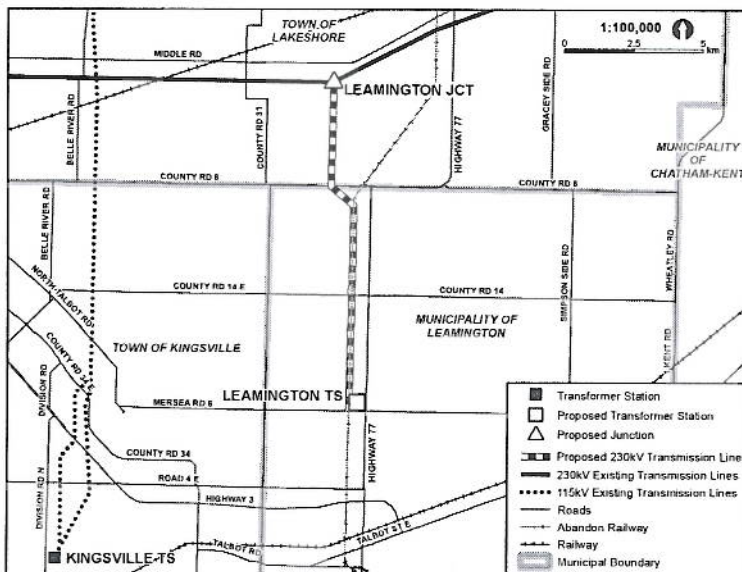
There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. The Board intends to use a written hearing for this case unless there is a good reason why an oral hearing is necessary. If you believe an oral hearing is necessary, you must provide written reasons to the OEB by **March 10, 2014.**

PRIVACY

If you write a letter with your comments, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the OEB's public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will be public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all your information will be public.

This application was filed under sections 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B.*

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de l'Ontario

This is Exhibit "A" to the
Affidavit of Erin Henderson
sworn before me this 14 day of
March, 2014.

Commissioner of Oaths

SEUNG-YOON LISA LEE

AVIS DE LA COMMISSION DE L'ÉNERGIE DE L'ONTARIO

Hydro One Networks Inc. a déposé une requête auprès de la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario en vue de construire une ligne de transport haute tension. En savoir plus.

Hydro One Networks Inc. demande la permission auprès de la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario (CEO) de construire une ligne de transport électrique de 230 kV d'environ 13 km de long et des installations connexes dans la municipalité de Leamington et la Ville de Lakeshore dans le comté d'Essex.

Hydro One Networks Inc. estime le coût de la ligne de transport à 45 millions \$ et le coût des installations à 32 millions \$. Si le projet est approuvé, ceci entraînera une hausse des tarifs de transport de l'Ontario et par conséquent, une hausse de 0,01 % de la facture d'électricité mensuelle moyenne du consommateur moyen. Les abonnés des services de distribution d'électricité de Hydro One Networks Inc., Essex Powerlines Corporation, E.L.K. Energy Inc. et Entegrus Powerlines Inc. pourraient aussi être touchés.

Hydro One Networks Inc. demande aussi auprès de la CEO d'approuver sa méthode d'allocation des coûts du projet.

Hydro One Networks Inc. demande également à la CEO d'approuver l'accord qu'elle offre aux propriétaires pour l'utilisation de leur terrain à des fins de routage ou de construction de la ligne proposée.

Une carte de la voie proposée de la ligne de transport est imprimée ci-dessous.

La CEO est un organisme public indépendant et impartial. Elle tiendra une audience publique pour examiner les requêtes de Hydro One Networks Inc. Dans le cadre de cette audience, la CEO examinera les documents et les arguments de Hydro One Networks Inc. ainsi que ceux des individus, des municipalités et des autres parties dont les intérêts seraient concernés.

L'audience de la CEO examinera des questions particulières désignées par la loi. La Loi de 1998 sur la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario précise les questions dont la CEO devra tenir compte avant de prendre sa décision. Si vous souhaitez participer à l'audience de la CEO, vous devez comprendre en quoi ces questions consistent.

Conformément à la Loi sur la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario, la CEO doit examiner trois questions :

- la protection des intérêts des consommateurs en ce qui concerne les prix ainsi que la fiabilité et la qualité des services de distribution d'électricité;
- la promotion de l'utilisation des sources d'énergie renouvelable de manière cohérente aux politiques du gouvernement de l'Ontario; et
- l'accord que Hydro One Networks Inc. offre aux propriétaires concernés par le routage ou l'emplacement de la ligne de transport.

La plupart des lignes de transport sont également soumises à l'évaluation environnementale du Ministère de l'Environnement. En 2010, Hydro One a complété l'évaluation environnementale de portée générale pour ce projet. L'examen de la Commission ne portera que sur les trois facteurs susmentionnés et n'abordera pas d'autres facteurs, tels que l'environnement, la santé, l'esthétique ou la valeur des propriétés.

TENEZ-VOUS INFORMÉ

Vous avez droit à l'information concernant la requête de Hydro One Networks Inc. Vous pouvez :

- consulter la requête de Hydro One Networks Inc. sur le site Web de la CEO (voir la section ci-dessous « En savoir plus »);
- vous inscrire à titre d'observateur et recevoir automatiquement des documents pour l'audience.

DONNEZ VOTRE OPINION

Si la ligne de transport proposée vous concerne, vous pourriez participer de façon plus active à l'audience. Vous pouvez :

- faire parvenir à la CEO une lettre de commentaires qui sera examinée durant l'audience;
- demandeur la permission de la CEO de participer activement (un intervenant) à l'audience. Les intervenants peuvent fournir des

preuves, défendre leurs positions et soumettre des questions pertinentes (observations) auxquelles devra répondre Hydro One Networks Inc. Pour devenir intervenant, une partie doit être concernée par la ligne de transport d'une manière directement liée aux questions qu'examinera la CEO. Si vous souhaitez être un intervenant, la CEO doit recevoir votre demande au plus tard le 10 Mars 2014.

EN SAVOIR PLUS

Pour consulter les documents concernant cette audience, rendez-vous sur le site Web de la CEO www.ontarioenergyboard.ca, cliquez sur « Consommateurs » et entrez le numéro de dossier (EB-2013-0421) dans la case « Trouvez une requête ». Vous pouvez également appeler Rudra Mukherji au 1-888-632-6273, poste 608.

AUDIENCES ORALES ET ÉCRITES

Il existe deux types d'audience à la CEO : orale et écrite. La Commission entend tenir une audience écrite pour ce dossier, sauf si une raison valable précise en quoi une audience orale est nécessaire. Si vous croyez qu'une audience écrite est nécessaire, vous devez faire parvenir vos raisons par écrit à la CEO d'ici le 10 Mars 2014.

CONFIDENTIALITÉ

Si vous écrivez une lettre de commentaires, votre nom et le contenu de votre lettre seront versés au dossier public de la CEO et publiés sur son site Web. Toutefois, votre numéro de téléphone, votre adresse et votre adresse courriel seront supprimés. Si vous êtes une entreprise, tous vos renseignements seront accessibles au public. Si vous faites une requête de statut d'intervenant, tous vos renseignements seront publics.

Cette requête a été déposée en vertu des articles 92 de la Loi de 1998 sur la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario, L.O. 1998, chap. 15, annexe B.

Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario

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À l'attention du secrétaire de la Commission

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sworn before me this 4th day of
March, 2014.

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