Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2013-0234

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*.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 6

April 10, 2014

On June 14, 2013, Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited ("THESL") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board seeking an order pursuant to section 29 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* that the Board refrain from regulating the terms, conditions and rates for the attachment of wireless telecommunications devices ("Wireless Attachments") to THESL's utility poles.

THESL is currently required by the Board's Decision and Order in EB-2003-0049 dated March 7, 2005 to give Canadian carriers' and cable companies' access to its distribution poles for Wireless Attachments at a regulated rate. THESL is proposing to charge a competitive rate for Wireless Attachments to its utility poles.

A record of all procedural matters that have been dealt with up to this point in this proceeding is available on the Board's website.

Procedural Matters

The Settlement Conference scheduled for April 16 and 17, 2014 will be postponed to after the Expert Conference that is scheduled for April 23 and 24, 2014. The new dates for the Settlement Conference will be announced in a future Procedural Order.

The Board considers it necessary to make provisions for the following matters related to this proceeding. The Board may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. The Settlement Conference scheduled for April 16-17, 2014 is postponed until further notice.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number EB-2013-0234 and be made electronically through the Board's web portal and in searchable/unrestricted PDF format at <u>www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/.</u> Two paper copies must also be filed at the Board's address provided below. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <u>www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry</u>. If the web portal is not available, parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on the required date.

Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto ON M4P 1E4 Attention: Board Secretary Filings: <u>www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/</u> E-mail: boardsec@ontarioenergyboard.ca Tel: 1-888-632-6273 (Toll free) Fax: 416-440-7656 DATED at Toronto, April 10, 2014

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary