

June 3, 2014

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Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2013-0321 – OPG 2013/2014 Payment Amounts – Issues Prioritization

We are in receipt of Mr. Poch's letter of today's date.

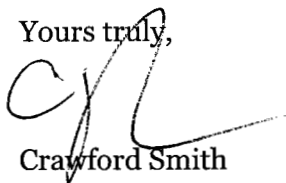
Nothing in Mr. Poch's letter changes OPG's position that GEC's request that certain issues be reprioritized should be dismissed by the Board.

We note that none of the excerpts selected by GEC calls into question OPG's evidence as it relates to Pickering OM&A costs or depreciation. Rather, the excerpts ruminate on the benefits of continued operations at Pickering GS – a decision the Government has made in the LTEP.

Mr. Poch says in his letter that "the new information offers a means to assess the impact of the latest LTEP Load forecast on the economics of Pickering – a load forecast that was not considered in the OPA letter to OPG." If this is a suggestion that the Government did not include the latest LTEP Load Forecast when including Pickering continued operations in the LTEP, it is manifestly wrong.

There is one further aspect of the letter which warrants a response: Mr. Poch's suggestion that "(perhaps inadvertently) OPG may not have provided the Board with the full story needed to inform these issues that are within scope." However couched by Mr. Poch, this is a serious allegation against OPG. It is categorically rejected by OPG.

Yours truly,



Crawford Smith

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