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



EB-2013-0321

**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 Ontario Power Generation Inc. pursuant to section 78.1 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for an order or orders determining payment amounts for the output of certain of its generating facilities.

# **PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 11**

June 9, 2014

Ontario Power Generation Inc. ("OPG") filed an application, dated September 27, 2013, with the Ontario Energy Board under section 78.1 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B seeking approval for increases in payment amounts for the output of its nuclear generating facilities and the currently prescribed hydroelectric generating facilities, to be effective January 1, 2014. The application also seeks approval for payment amounts for newly prescribed hydroelectric generating facilities, to be effective January 1, 2014.

# **Settlement Proposal and Oral Hearing**

On June 9, 2014, OPG advised the Board that filing of the settlement proposal would be delayed to noon on June 11, 2014. As OPG would prefer to have the settlement proposal filed before the commencement of the oral hearing, OPG requested that the hearing commence on June 12, 2014.

On June 6, 2014, OPG advised the Board that an external witness for the Niagara Tunnel witness panel would be available on June 12 and 13, 2014 and requested a change to the order of witness panels outlined in Exhibit A1-9-1.

The Board will provide parties with additional time to file a comprehensive settlement proposal. The oral hearing will commence on Thursday, June 12, 2014 with the presentation of the settlement proposal, the review of the hearing plan, all submissions on confidentiality and any other procedural matters. Cross examination of the Niagara Tunnel witness panel will follow.

The Board considers it necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding.

# THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Any settlement proposal shall be filed by noon on Wednesday June 11, 2014.
- 2. The hearing plan shall be filed by noon on Wednesday June 11, 2014.
- 3. The oral hearing shall commence on **Thursday June 12, 2014** at 10:00 am in the Board's hearing room.
- Board staff and parties wishing to make submissions on the request for confidential treatment for updated and new documents related to the Darlington Refurbishment Project, certain tables in the Impact Statement filed on May 16, 2014 and hydroelectric benchmarking data shall make such submissions to the Board on June 12, 2014, at the oral hearing.
- If OPG wishes to respond to any submissions on its request for confidential treatment for updated and new documents related to the Darlington Refurbishment Project, certain tables in the Impact Statement filed on May 16, 2014 and hydroelectric benchmarking data, it shall make such submissions to the Board at the oral hearing on June 12, 2014.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, **EB-2013-0321**, be made through the Board's web portal at <u>www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/</u>, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. 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 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Violet Binette at <u>violet.binette@ontarioenergyboard.ca</u> and Board Counsel, Michael Millar at <u>michael.millar@ontarioenergyboard.ca</u>.

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DATED at Toronto, June 9, 2014

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