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June 6, 2014

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
27th Floor
2300 Yonge St
Toronto, ON
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**Re: Rate Design for Electricity Distributors
Board File No. EB-2012-0410**

Dear Ms Walli,

Further to the Board letter dated April 3 2014 we are writing to advise you that APPrO and CanSIA will be making submissions on the Draft Report of the Board on Rate Design for Electricity Distributors and revenue decoupling shortly.

Our submissions have been delayed past the June 6 deadline, in part because we were unable to engage a consultant until a week ago, May 29, when we received word of the decision on cost eligibility.

We have been actively working on our submissions since that time, and expect to file them early next week.

Our timelines have also been challenging because we wanted to co-ordinate input from members of CanSIA and members of APPrO to the extent possible, considering the significant differences in perspective, and to share the costs of a single consultant, Jason Chee-Aloy.

I would also like to take this opportunity to request that Board staff add Mr. Chee-Aloy to the list of recipients for correspondence and notices related to this proceeding. Both APPrO and CanSIA intend to retain Mr. Chee-Aloy as our consultant in this proceeding.

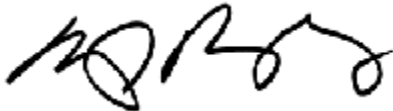
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Mr. Chee-Aloy's contact information is shown below.

We appreciate the opportunity to be involved in this proceeding.

Please feel free to contact either myself or CanSIA if you would like any further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JB', is positioned above the typed name of the sender.

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