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## VIA RESS, COURIER AND E:MAIL

August 13, 2014

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

## Re: Ontario Power Authority - 2014 Revenue Requirement Submission Ontario Energy Board File No. EB-2013-0326

The Ontario Power Authority ("OPA") is writing to follow up on its letter sent to the Board on August 8, 2014 regarding the 2014 Revenue Requirement Submission.

The OPA is still not able to advise the Board on the next steps required in the proceeding as consideration is ongoing with respect to issues that impact the OPA's budget.

In the meantime, the OPA asks that the Board release the dates of August 18 and 19 that it has tentatively reserved if the Board were to proceed by way of an oral hearing. The OPA may be in a position to advise the Board of its proposed next steps by the end of this week and therefore, the OPA asks that the Board retain the date of August 20 at this time as it may provide an opportunity for parties to address issues arising from the OPA's proposal to the Board.

The OPA will communicate further to the Board on this matter as soon as it is able.

The OPA used the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System to file this document and encloses two paper copies for your records.

Yours truly,

Michael Lyle General Counsel and Vice President Legal, Aboriginal & Regulatory Affairs

Att. (two paper copies by courier) cc: Mr. Fred Cass, Aird & Berlis (by e:mail and courier) EB-2013-0326 Interested Parties (by e:mail)