Board Staff Interrogatories in EB-2013-0442

Interrogatory No. 1

Ref: Ex C/Tab 1/Schedule 1/ Appendix B

Preamble: At the above reference, wpd Sumac Ridge Inc. (the "Applicant") has provided a location map that identifies the sections of Gray Road and Wild Turkey Road where the Applicant is proposing to locate portions of its Distribution System. At Exhibit B/T1/S1, it is stated that the distribution facilities are to be located above ground along a portion of Gray Road and cross beneath Wild Turkey Road. Please provide the requested information regarding the distribution facilities that are the subject of the current application.

- a. Please describe in detail the distribution facilities that are proposed to be located along Gray Road.
- b. With respect to the facilities that are to be located along Gray Road, please provide maps and detailed engineering drawings (such as cross sectional drawings and layout) that clearly identify the location of the distribution facilities (such as location of poles, conductors) and other relevant locational information (such as the location of other utility infrastructure).
- c. With respect to the facilities that are to be located beneath Wild Turkey Road, please provide detailed maps and engineering drawings (such as cross-sectional drawings) and that identify the location of the crossing and the location of the proposed facilities.
- d. It is stated in the application that the proposed facilities are to be located on an undeveloped portion of Gray Road. If available, please provide colour photographs of the affected sections (i.e. where distribution facilities are proposed to be located) of Gray Road and Wild Turkey Road.

Interrogatory No. 2

Ref: Renewable Energy Approval

Preamble: The Renewable Energy Approval (REA) for the overall project was granted in December 2013. Board staff understands that the REA has been appealed and the matter is before the Environment Review Tribunal.

- a. Has a decision on the appeal been issued? If so, please provide a copy. If not when is a decision on the appeal expected?
- b. In the Applicant's view, if the appeal is successful will it impact the location of the distribution facilities that are the subject of this application?
- c. Please provide the most up-to-date Construction Schedule for the complete project. Please identify the date when construction of the facilities (that are the subject of this application) are planned to commence.
- d. What are the risks and ramifications if construction of the proposed facilities is delayed?
- e. Is the Applicant proposing to commence construction of the facilities (that are the subject of this application), before it receives a decision on the REA appeal. If it is the Applicant's intention to commence construction prior to the decision on the appeal, please provide the reasons for such an approach.

Interrogatory No. 3

Ref: Letter of Comment from the City of Kawartha Lakes, dated August 18, 2014.

Preamble: The Board has received a letter of comment from the City of Kawartha Lakes requesting that the Applicant file a document addressing the city's "concerns" as stated in its letter to the Board, dated August 18, 2014. With reference to the "concerns" the city states that "....Through a previous meeting with the proponents it is our understanding that the above-noted conditions were agreed to by them."

- a. Has the Applicant reached an agreement with the city regarding the city's stated concerns ? If an agreement has been reached, please indicate if the Applicant will be filing a letter/document with the Board as has been requested by the city.
- b. If the Applicant objects to the city's request, please provide reasons for the objection.

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