

EB-2014-0022

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 Suncor Energy Products Inc. for an Order granting leave to construct a new transmission line and associated facilities.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO.7

October 2, 2014

Suncor Energy Products Inc., ("Suncor") filed an application (the "Application") with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board"), dated January 21, 2014 under sections 92, 96(2), 97 and 101 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B. Suncor has applied for an order of the Board for leave to construct approximately 15 kilometres of 115 kilovolt electricity transmission line and associated facilities (the "Transmission Facilities") to connect Suncor's Cedar Point II Wind Energy Project to the IESO-controlled grid. Suncor is also seeking an order approving the forms of agreements with landowners and an order approving the construction of certain transmission facilities upon, under or over a highway, utility line or ditch.

Procedural Matters

In accordance with Procedural Order No. 5, Suncor and other parties filed with the Board argument-in-chief and final submissions, respectively. Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One"), filed a submission that gave rise to further inquiries from the Board. In particular, Hydro One asserted that the proposed Transmission Facilities would result in incremental distribution work and costs, and that the company needed certainty in the form of a signed agreement with Suncor in order to ensure that it would not incur these incidental costs.

The Board made provisions in Procedural Order No. 6 for Hydro One to file evidence related to the alleged incremental distribution work and associated costs. The Board also made provision for the submission of interrogatories and responses. Board staff filed interrogatories and Hydro One filed responses.

The Board is of the view that, Suncor should have the opportunity to supplement its argument-in-chief and that Board staff and other parties should have an opportunity to file any further submissions they have on the subject matter raised by Hydro One prior to Suncor making its final reply.

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

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Suncor shall file supplemental argument-in-chief, if any, with the Board and deliver it to all parties on or before **October 8, 2014.**
- Intervenors and Board staff shall file any argument related to the noted subject matter with the Board, and copy all parties, on or before October 17, 2014.
- 3. Suncor shall file any reply submission with the Board and copy all parties on or before **October 24, 2014.**

All filings to the Board must quote file number EB-2014-0022, be made through the Board's web portal at https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/, 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 shall use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at www.ontarioenergyboard.ca.

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, Leïla Azaïez at leila.azaiez@ontarioenergyboard.ca and Board Counsel, at maureen.helt@ontarioenergyboard.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, October 2, 2014

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