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October 30, 2014

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Board File No.: EB-2014-0140
Notice of Intervention for the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO)**

Please find attached the IESO Notice of Intervention in EB-2014-0140. Two hard copies will follow by courier.

Yours truly,



Paula L. Lukan
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cc (email only): Erin Henderson, Hydro One Networks Inc.
Michael Engelberg, Hydro One Networks Inc.

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, Schedule B to the *Energy Competition Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15;

AND IN THE MATTER of an Application by Hydro One Networks Inc. for an Order or Orders approving just and reasonable rates and other service charges for the transmission of electricity, effective January 1, 2015.

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF THE INDEPENDENT ELECTRICITY SYSTEM OPERATOR

1. The Independent Electricity System Operator (the "IESO") seeks to intervene and participate in the hearing of this matter. The IESO may participate by making written submissions, responding to relevant interrogatories or enquiries from the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board"), Board staff and other parties to the proceeding.
2. The IESO is a non-profit, non-share capital corporation established under the *Electricity Act, 1998* to administer the Ontario wholesale power markets and to direct the operation and maintain the reliability of the IESO-controlled grid. The IESO's responsibility for directing the operation and maintaining the integrity of the IESO-controlled grid is more precisely set out in the Ontario market rules and IESO license. The IESO does not own generation or transmission facilities, however the IESO directs the operation of generation and transmission facilities, including interconnection facilities that are situated in Ontario.
3. The authority and obligations of the IESO are established by legislation, its licence issued by the Board, and the Ontario market rules. In particular, the IESO's responsibility for maintaining the reliability and operability of the IESO-controlled grid is more precisely set out in the market rules. Accordingly, the IESO has a direct and substantial interest in the hearing of this matter.
4. The IESO wishes to receive copies of all evidence filed by the applicant and registered intervenors. The IESO asks that copies of all filed materials be sent to the IESO at the address set out below.

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5. The IESO is not eligible and will not be seeking an award of costs for its intervention.

DATED at Toronto this 30th day of October 2014.

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