



EB-2013-0339

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 wpd White
Pines Wind Incorporated for an order or orders pursuant
to section 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998
granting leave to construct transmission facilities in
Prince Edward County.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 6

November 14, 2014

Updates on SIA and CIA

The Board letter to wpd White Pines Wind Incorporated ("wpd White Pines") dated September 9, 2014, stated that the Board would not issue a decision in this case prior to wpd White Pines' filing an amended System Impact Assessment ("SIA") report and Customer Impact Assessment ("CIA") report (or verification from the Independent Electricity System Operator ("IESO") or Hydro One Networks Inc. ("HONI") that an amended CIA was not required).

On October 23, 2014 wpd White Pines filed a SIA Addendum and a Notification of Addendum of Conditional Approval to Connection Proposal from the IESO, each dated July 21, 2014. wpd White Pines also filed a series of emails between the IESO, Hydro One and wpd White Pines, dated August 14, 2013 to October 20, 2014, concerning the CIA.

The Board has determined that Board staff and Parties to this proceeding should have the opportunity to seek further information or provide further submissions on the above-

noted documents filed by wpd White Pines on October 23, 2014, as the documents were not previously filed with the Board.

Issues Raised by APPEC

In a letter filed on October 31, 2014, APPEC raised some issues relating to definitions of transmission and distribution as they pertain to the Ministry of the Environment's (the "Ministry") Renewable Energy Approval ("REA") process and the Ministry's interpretation of the definitions. This was followed by a reply from wpd White Pines dated November 3, 2014 and a further letter from APPEC dated November 7, 2014.

The Board has considered the above-noted submissions and is of the view that these matters are outside the scope of the Board's jurisdiction under section 96 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, and appear to relate more directly to the REA process administered by the Ministry of the Environment. Therefore, the Board has concluded that further consideration and clarification of these matters by the Board is not required in this proceeding.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. Parties and Board staff who wish to seek further information on the above-noted documents filed by wpd White Pines on October 23, 2014 shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the Board and delivered to wpd White Pines on or before **November 26, 2014**.
2. wpd White Pines shall file with the Board and deliver to all intervenors, a complete response to each of the interrogatories on or before **December 3, 2014**.
3. Board staff and intervenors shall file their submissions, if any, with respect to the evidence filed by the Applicant on October 23, 2014, or subsequent interrogatory responses with the Board, and deliver it to wpd White Pines and all intervenors on or before:
 - **December 3, 2014** if no interrogatories are filed;
 - **December 10, 2014** if any interrogatories are filed.
4. wpd White Pines shall file its reply submission, if any, with the Board, and deliver it to all intervenors on or before:
 - **December 10, 2014** if no interrogatories are filed;
 - **December 17, 2014** if any interrogatories are filed.

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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.

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DATED at Toronto, November 14, 2014

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

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Board Secretary