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VIA COURIER, RESS, EMAIL

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

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re:

Board File No. EB-2014-0311

Hydro One Networks Inc. Request for an Accounting Order to Establish a Deferral Account for Preliminary Development work relating to the North West Bulk

Transmission Line Project

Ontario Power Authority – Request for Intervention

The Ontario Power Authority ("OPA") is writing to request intervenor status in the above noted proceeding pursuant to the Board's Notice of Application in respect of Hydro One Network's Inc. application.

The OPA has a direct interest in this application based on its responsibilities for electricity planning for the province. The OPA provided a letter dated October 1, 2014 to Hydro One that is filed as part of evidence in this application, and addresses the Scope and Timing of the Northwest Bulk Transmission Line Project.

Please provide a copy of all relevant communications to the attention of Miriam Heinz, Regulatory Coordinator, at the address above or through e-mail at miriam.heinz@powerauthority.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Nancy Marconi

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Ontario Power Authority

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