

February 25, 2015

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

Dear Ms. Walli,

Re: Application to

- Amend the licence of the Independent Electricity System Operator ("IESO"), EB-2013-0066 and
- Cancel the licence of the Ontario Power Authority ("OPA"), EO-2010-0220

The IESO is seeking to amend the IESO's licence and cancel the licence of the OPA. The IESO requests that the proceeding be disposed of without a hearing as allowed by section 21(4)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*.

The request to amend the IESO licence and cancel the OPA licence results from the revisions made to the *Electricity Act* which came into effect January 1, 2015 and which amalgamated the two entities.

Attached to this application is a draft amended licence. The amendments sought incorporate those sections from the OPA licence which were not in the IESO licence or were more clearly written than in the IESO licence. Also included is an addition to the licence which is required by the Minister's March 24, 2014 Directive to the OEB in relation to CDM. The IESO has not made nor is it seeking to add or remove any new wording or sections beyond those discussed above.

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Under section 21(4)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, the Board may dispose of a proceeding without a hearing if the Board determines that no person, other than the licence holder, will be adversely affected in a material way by the outcome of the proceeding and the licence holder consents to disposing of the proceeding without a hearing. The IESO consents to the Board disposing of the proceeding without a hearing and no person will be adversely affected in a material way by the outcome of the proceeding.

In support of this application, please find enclosed three documents. The first is a clean copy of the proposed amended licence for the IESO. The second is a copy of the IESO's proposed amendments to the Licence with annotations explaining the proposed changes. The third is a copy of the former OPA licence, EO-2010-0220 with annotations describing the sections of that licence which are duplicated in the IESO licence, the sections which are proposed to be included in the amended Licence and the sections were omitted from inclusion.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Adrian Pye Senior Regulatory Analyst

cc: Viive Sawler, Manager, Licencing & Performance Reporting

Attachments:

- 1. A clean copy of the IESO licence with amendments
- 2. A marked copy of the IESO licence with amendments
- 3. A marked copy of the OPA licence