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RE: ESSEX POWERLINES CORPORATION
2015 IRM 3 Electricity Distribution Rates Application
Board File Number EB-2014-0072\EB-2014-0301

Dear Ms. Walli;

Essex has reviewed the cost claims for the intervening parties that included the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC), Energy Probe (EP) and the School Energy Coalition (SEC).

We find these claims to be reasonable with the exception of SEC's claim that was filed after the due date established by the Board which subsequently delayed our response to the claims.

We ask that the Board consider not accepting SEC's claim since they were 10 days late in filing their claim or alternatively we request the Board reduce the claim amount. The decision was clear in the timelines for costs to be submitted and it was only at the query of Essex with Board Staff that the claim was presented.

Sincerely,

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