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Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street Suite 2701 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Confidential Filing - Withdrawal from Evidence

North Bay Hydro Distribution Ltd. ("NBHDL")

Board File No. EB-2014-0099

On March 31, 2015 SEC requested that a copy of the Electricity Distributor Association's ("EDA") Emergency Task Force report (referenced at page 35 of Exhibit 4 of NBHDL's 2015 Cost of Service Application (the "Application")) be provided.

On May 14, 2015, NBHDL filed a hard copy of the EDA report with the Board in confidence in accordance with the Board's *Practice Direction on Confidential Filings* and in response to 2-SEC-38.

On June 22, 2015, NBHDL filed a Settlement Proposal with the Board. Given the settlement between the parties, and with the express intent of assisting the Board by avoiding having to address the issue of confidentiality of the EDA report, and with SEC's consent, NBHDL is voluntarily withdrawing the report from the evidentiary record in this proceeding. NBHDL understands that no other party objects to this approach.

Yours very truly,

BORDEN LADNER GERVAIS LLP

Per:

Original signed by James K. Little

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cc: Todd Wilcox, Cindy Tennant, Melissa Casson and Matt Payne, NBHDL

John A.D. Vellone, BLG Parties in EB-2014-0099