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Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
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Dear Ms. Walli,

**RE: Whitby Hydro Electric Corporation  
Cost of Service Deferral and 2016 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (IRM)  
Application (EB- 2015-0113)**

Whitby Hydro Electric Corporation ("Whitby Hydro") is in receipt of the Ontario Energy Board ("OEB") letter dated July 16, 2015, which grants Whitby Hydro the option to defer setting 2016 rates on a cost of service basis.

Whitby Hydro would like to advise the OEB that it intends to file an IRM application for 2016 and will follow the IRM process as determined by the OEB. As Whitby Hydro has a January 1<sup>st</sup> rate year, it is expected that a filing deadline of August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015 would be applicable based on the OEB's recently announced schedule.

Regards,

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