Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



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IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O.1998, c.15, Schedule B;

AND IN THE MATTER OF applications by Hudson Energy Canada Corp. for a Gas Marketer Licence and Electricity Retailer Licence

By delegation, before: Peter Fraser

DECISION AND ORDER July 23, 2015

Hudson Energy Canada Corp. ("Hudson Energy") filed separate applications with the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") under section 50 and section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* (the "Act") for a gas marketer and electricity retailer licence, respectively. Due to the similar nature of the applications the Board has combined the applications into one proceeding pursuant to section 21(5) of the Act.

The Board's Notice of Application and Written Hearing for the two applications was posted on March 27, 2015. On April 24, 2015, Board staff filed interrogatories on the application evidence. In response Hudson Energy requested an extension of time to respond to the interrogatories due to the preparation of its year end reporting. The Board's Procedural Order #1 extended the time required to respond to interrogatories. On May 22, 2015 Hudson Energy responded to Board staff's interrogatories.

After considering the applications, I find it to be in the public interest to grant the gas marketer licence under Part IV of the Act and similarly to grant the electricity retailer licence under Part V of the Act.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The application for a gas marketer licence is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence;
- 2. The application for an electricity retailer licence is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence;

DATED at Toronto, July 23, 2015

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Peter Fraser Vice President, Industry Operations & Performance