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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: EB-2014-0101: Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. (OPUCN) 2015-2019 Rates.**

**Request for Brief Extension of Time for Filing Reply Argument.**

The Hearing Panel in this proceeding directed that OPUCN file its Reply Argument on or before Wednesday, August 12<sup>th</sup>.

Board Staff's argument was filed when due on Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> and intervenor arguments were all received when due on Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>. Included in these arguments are various suggestions regarding modification of OPUCN's proposed Custom IR framework, in the event that the Board accepts that Custom IR is appropriate for OPUCN.

OPUCN has developed constructive response to these various suggestions, in addition to reply to various arguments regarding its forecast costs. In order to ensure that OPUCN's position is expressed in a clear, complete and fully referenced manner, we would appreciate a brief extension of time within which to file Reply Argument. We request that the deadline for filing be extended by two days to Friday, August 14<sup>th</sup>.

We do not believe that any of the parties could be prejudiced by such an extension, given that this is the last step in the process prior to the Hearing Panel's deliberations. It is our hope that the Hearing Panel members would not be detrimentally impacted by this brief delay in filing, and that the Board can thus indulge our request.

Yours truly,



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