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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 Canadian Hydro Developers, Inc. and Canadian Renewable Energy Corporation for Electricity Generation Licence Amendments.

By delegation, before: Peter Fraser

ORDER

Canadian Hydro Developers, Inc. (CHDI) and Canadian Renewable Energy Corporation (CREC) filed applications dated July 14, 2015 with the Ontario Energy Board under section 74 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the Act) for an amendment to their respective Electricity Generation Licences, EG-2003-0134 and EG-2003-0013. CREC also applied to transfer its licence to Melancthon Wolfe Wind LP under section 18(1) of the Act. Due to the related nature of the applications the proceeding has been combined pursuant to section 21(5) of the Act.

As part of a corporate re-organization the applicants and its parent company, TransAlta Group, intend to consolidate and reorganize the ownership structure of each licensee and its generation facilities. The applicants are providing notice of the transaction prior to closing in order to obtain all necessary consents.

As part of the re-organization the applicants will amalgamate into one entity named CHDI. In addition, the licence issued to CREC will be transferred to a newly created entity named Melancthon Wolfe Wind LP.

The applicants also requested that Schedule 1 of CHDI's licence remove reference to the Melancthon Grey Wind Project Phase 1 & 2 and include it on CREC's licence. In

addition, CHDI requested to include the Misema Power Station and remove it from CREC's licence.

I have considered the application without holding a hearing pursuant to section 6(4) of the Act.

I find that the applications should be granted. However, I find that the granting of the applications should be conditioned.

The applicant has informed the Board that it does not yet have the confirmation of the close of the reorganization. However, the applicant indicated that it needs to gain approval for the transfer of licence and generation facilities to secure all necessary approvals in time for closing to take place.

I have agreed to approve the amendments and transfer of the licence pending confirmation in writing of the completion of the reorganization and amalgamation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The application for amendment to Schedule 1 of CDHI's Electricity Generation Licence EG-2003-0134 is granted on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence and pending confirmation in writing that the reorganization and amalgamation with CREC has been completed.
2. The application for amendment to Schedule 1 and transfer of CREC's Electricity Generation Licence EG-2003-0013 to Melancthon Wolfe Wind LP is granted on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence and pending confirmation in writing that the reorganization and amalgamation with CREC has been completed.

DATED at Toronto, August 20, 2015

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Peter Fraser
Vice President, Industry Operations & Performance