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Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re:

Independent Electricity System Operator

2016 Expenditure and Revenue Requirement Submission

Ontario Energy Board File No.: EB-2015-0275

Pursuant to Subsection 25 (1) of the *Electricity Act, 1998*, (the "Act") the Independent Electricity System ("IESO") is required to submit its proposed expenditure and revenue requirements and fees to the Ontario Energy Board ("Board") at least 60 days before the beginning of each fiscal year, but may not do so until the Minister of Energy (the "Minister") has approved the IESO's proposed business plan for the fiscal year.

The IESO submitted its proposed 2016-2018 Business Plan to the Minister in September, 2015. As approval of the Business Plan from the Minister has not yet been received, the IESO is unable to submit its proposed 2016 expenditure and revenue requirements and fees submission ("2016 Submission"). The IESO will submit its 2016 Submission after the Minister has approved the 2016-2018 Business Plan.

Yours truly,

Nancy Marconi

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