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Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2015-0304 - Pole Attachment Working Group

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). We write to nominate Mark Rubenstein to the Pole Attachment Working Group ("PAWG"). Mr. Rubenstein has been counsel to SEC in many recent proceedings involving pole attachment issues, including:

- Toronto Hydro 2015-19 rates application (EB-2014-0116)
- Hydro Ottawa 2016-2020 rates application (EB-2015-0004)
- Hydro One Networks Inc. Application (EB-2013-0416/2015-0141)
- Toronto Hydro Wireless Forbearance application (EB-2013-0234)

Mr. Rubenstein has also taken on a leadership role among the ratepayer group intervenors in those proceedings with respect to pole attachment issues. His experience would provide the PAWG with a strong understanding of the issue, and thus he would make a strong representative of the interests of customers.

Mr. Rubenstein's can be contacted at:

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Our annual intervenor filling is located here:

http://www.rds.ontarioenergyboard.ca/webdrawer/webdrawer.dll/webdrawer/rec/462191/view/

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Yours very truly,

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cc: Wayne McNally, SEC (by email)