

January 11, 2016

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge St., Suite 2700 Toronto, ON, M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2015-0182

New Initiatives Relating to Electricity Distribution System Reliability Performance Objectives:

- Major Event Definition
- Response to Major Events Reporting Requirements
- Establish Customer Specific Reliability Measures

On December 7, 2015, the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) issued its Report of the Board on Electricity Distribution System Reliability: Major Events, Reporting on Major Events and Customer Specific Measures. In the accompanying letter, the OEB invited interested parties to submit written comments on the report by January 11, 2016.

Oakville Hydro appreciates having the opportunity to participate in this process. Oakville Hydro is an Electricity Distribution Association (EDA) member and provided its input regarding this initiative. The EDA's submission aligns with and is consistent with Oakville Hydro's views.

Oakville Hydro would make the following two additional comments for consideration:

1. In the OEB's question (B.5) regarding the ability for LDC's to recalculate their reliability performance results for the past five years, Oakville Hydro believes that this is can be completed and filed, however notes this exercise may prove to be time consuming and possibly challenging for some LDCs depending on their situation.

2. In the OEB's question (D.4) regarding the option to have a pilot project to review the implementation for reporting customer level reliability data, Oakville Hydro believes a pilot project would be beneficial and provide value to all the LDCs. Oakville Hydro expresses its interest in participating in a pilot project on the customer specific measures and would welcome this opportunity. Currently, Oakville Hydro has an operational integrated OMS system and plans to augment its GIS network data to enable customer specific metric in OMS. If the OEB decides to conduct a pilot project Oakville Hydro would be pleased to be considered for this initiative.

Respectfully submitted,

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