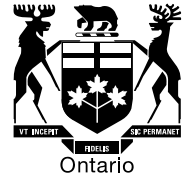


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March 8, 2016

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Dear Ms. Donnelly:

**Re: Ottawa River Power Corporation  
Application for 2016 Distribution Rates  
Board File Number EB-2014-0105**

Ottawa River Power Corporation (ORPC) filed a letter dated March 4, 2016, requesting an additional extension to file a Settlement Proposal arising from the Settlement Conference held February 9 - 10, 2016. ORPC stated that the parties encountered an unanticipated barrier to reaching a final settlement but noted that the parties are working diligently towards a solution. ORPC has asked that it be permitted to file the Settlement Proposal by March 11, 2016.

The OEB grants ORPC's request.

Yours truly,

*Original signed by*

Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary