

March 31, 2016

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319, 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Re: Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited (THESL) – ICM True-up Application Board File No. EB-2015-0173

Dear Ms. Walli:

I am writing pursuant to the Board's Notice of Application regarding the above proceeding to request intervenor status.

AMPCO is a not-for-profit consumer interest advocacy organization. AMPCO's members represent Ontario's major industries: forestry, chemical, mining and minerals, steel, petroleum products, cement, automotive and manufacturing and business consumers in general.

AMPCO members are major investors, major employers and a major part of communities in which we operate, across Ontario. AMPCO and its member companies are well known to the Board. AMPCO participates in many proceedings, working groups, consultations and initiatives of the Ontario Energy Board in which matters relevant to Ontario's large electricity consumers are being addressed.

AMPCO's interest in the Board's regulation of distribution and transmission companies relates generally to the interests of consumers with respect to price, adequacy, reliability and quality of electricity service, and, more particularly, to how costs are allocated to, and rates are designed to recover costs from, industrial customers.

AMPCO has previously been approved by the Board in THESL proceedings and was an intervenor in the EB-2012-0064 application that addressed the future reconciliation process regarding THESL's ICM request. In the current application, AMPCO is interested in reviewing the costs associated with actual in-service assets above the ICM materiality threshold. AMPCO is intervening in order to ensure that the interests of its members are fully represented in the determination of just and reasonable rates

We respectfully request that the Board please confirm AMP CO's eligibility for an award of costs in this matter. AMPCO has been granted intervenor cost awards in other OEB proceedings.

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Please serve all correspondence pertaining to this proceeding to AMPCO's consultant as follows:

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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Sincerely yours,

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