

EB-2016-0155

E.L.K. Energy Inc.

Application to amend licensed service area in Schedule 1 of electricity distribution licence ED-2003-0015

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1 August 9, 2016

E.L.K. Energy Inc. (ELK) filed a complete application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on June 21, 2016 under section 74 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for an order of the OEB to amend ELK's licensed service area in Schedule 1 of its electricity distribution licence ED-2003-0015.

Through the application, ELK seeks to expand its distribution service area to include specific lands currently located in the licensed service area of Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One). These lands are owned by 1710690 Ontario Inc. and Sellick Equipment Limited, are located in the Town of Essex and are designated for development of a commercial subdivision. More specifically:

- The lands owned by 1710690 Ontario Inc. are described as Part Lots 3,4, & 5, PL 202 and Part Lot 6, Concession 2, Colchester, designated as Parts 1,2,& 3, Plan 12R-26189, except PT 1, 26401; S/T easement over Part 2, Plan 12R-26189 as in CS19391; Town of Essex; and,
- The lands owned by Sellick Equipment Limited are described as Part Lots 3 & 4 Registered Plan 202 (being a subdivision of Part of Lots 7 & 8 Concession 2)
 Geographic Township of Colchester South, now in the Town of Essex, PT. 1 12R-06401; Town of Essex.

ELK wishes to supply and provide electricity distribution services to a proposed commercial development which is being developed by Sellick Equipment Limited in the proposed amendment area.

A Notice of Application and Hearing was issued on July 26, 2016. ELK filed an affidavit with the OEB on July 27, 2016, confirming its compliance with the OEB's Letter of Direction regarding the web posting and service of the OEB's Notice. Hydro One also provided written confirmation that it had complied with the OEB's Letter of Direction which required Hydro One to post ELK's application and the Notice on Hydro One's website. The Corporation of the Town of Essex applied for intervenor status. Hydro One, 1710690 Ontario Inc. and Sellick Equipment Limited are deemed intervenors in this proceeding.

Attached as Schedule A is a complete list of parties in this proceeding.

It is necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. The OEB may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Intervenors and OEB staff who wish information and material from the applicant that is in addition to the evidence filed with the OEB, and that is relevant to the hearing, shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and delivered to the applicant by **August 25, 2016**.
- 2. The applicant shall file complete responses to the interrogatories with the OEB and deliver them to all intervenors by **September 8, 2016**.
- Intervenors and OEB staff that wish to file evidence regarding the application must file that evidence with the OEB and deliver it to the applicant and all intervenors by September 22, 2016.
- 4. Any party (intervenors, OEB staff or the applicant) that wishes information and material from a party that filed evidence that is in addition to the evidence filed with the OEB, and that is relevant to the hearing, shall request it by written

interrogatories filed with the OEB and delivered to the party that filed the evidence by **October 6, 2016**.

- 5. Responses to interrogatories on intervenor and/or OEB staff evidence shall be filed with the OEB and delivered to all intervenors by **October 20, 2016**.
- 6. Any written submission from intervenors or OEB staff must be filed with the OEB and delivered to the applicant and all intervenors by **November 3, 2016**.
- 7. Any written response from the applicant must be filed with the OEB and delivered to all intervenors by **November 17, 2016**.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, EB-2016-0155, be made in searchable/ unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/. Two paper copies must also be filed at the OEB's address provided below. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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DATED at Toronto, August 9, 2016

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Kristi Sebalj

Original signed by

Kristi Sebalj Registrar

APPENDIX "A" TO PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1

APPLICANT & LIST OF INTERVENORS OEB FILE NO. EB-2016-0155

DATED August 9, 2016

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