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Parties to EB-2016-0152

Re: Ontario Power Generation Inc. 2017-2021 Payment Amounts Ontario Energy Board File Number EB-2016-0152

In Procedural Order No. 1, the OEB made provision for an untranscribed technical conference on the Darlington Refurbishment Program (DRP) contracts, schedule and cost in the 2017-2021 period as well as for the full DRP, and the mechanics of the rate smoothing deferral account. The purpose of the conference is to provide an opportunity for all parties to have a sufficiently robust understanding of these two matters which will focus the examination of this major capital project and new account.

Parties are advised that the start time of the untranscribed technical conference on September 23, 2016 has been revised to 9:00 AM and that the conference will conclude at 2:30 PM.

The OEB made provision for parties to request presentation of additional aspects of the DRP and rate smoothing deferral account.

The Green Energy Coalition (GEC) requested additional presentation on the DRP budget that is avoidable, bill impacts should the government require off-ramps, impacts related to cost overruns and delays, and impact if Pickering extended operations is not approved.

The School Energy Coalition and the Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario (SEC/AMPCO) requested presentation of additional aspects related to contractor and OPG staffing during DRP.

The questions proposed by GEC and SEC/AMPCO need not be addressed at the untranscribed technical conference. To the extent that these further areas of investigation are relevant, they may be raised in interrogatories.

Parties are advised that there will be an opportunity for questions and answers. However, there will be no undertakings from the untranscribed technical conference.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

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