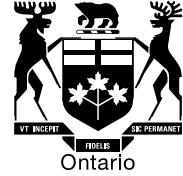


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BY E-MAIL

September 26, 2016

Kirsten Walli
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Hydro One Networks Inc.
2017 and 2018 Transmission Cost of Service Application
Board File Number EB-2016-0160
Submission of Proposed Issues List**

In Procedural Order No. 1, the OEB ordered that OEB staff "...shall file a proposed issues list, or, alternatively, shall advise the OEB in writing that the parties and OEB staff have been unable to reach an agreement on a draft issues list by September 26, 2016."

OEB staff hereby advises the OEB that parties were unable to reach an agreement on a proposed issues list. Due to the full agenda in the Technical Conference, parties were unable to undertake a full discussion of the Issues List. However, these discussions are to take place this week.

OEB staff requests that the OEB allow for an extension for the filing of the proposed issues list until October 4, 2016.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Harold Thiessen
Ontario Energy Board staff
Case Manager – EB-2016-0160