



September 28, 2016

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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
P.O. Box 2319
2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Electricity Distribution Licence No. ED-2002-0556
2017 Electricity Distribution Rate Application (EB-2016-0084)**

On September 15, 2016, Hydro Ottawa Limited ("Hydro Ottawa") submitted its 2017 rate application ("Application") to the Ontario Energy Board ("OEB") seeking approval for proposed electricity distribution rates and other charges, effective January 1, 2017.

As part of this application Hydro Ottawa had requested that its interim load displacement generation standby charges be finalized and also to implement new reliability standby charges and to establish a deferral account for standby reliability.

Hydro Ottawa hereby withdraws its request to finalize its interim load displacement generation standby charges and its request to implement new reliability standby charges and to establish a deferral account for standby reliability as part of its 2017 Application.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require anything further.

Yours sincerely,

Original signed by Gregory Van Dusen

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