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VIA RESS AND COURIER

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

Dear Ms. Walli:

RE: EB-2016-0160 Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") Comments on Proposed Issues List

Hydro One has reviewed the proposed Issues List circulated by Board Staff on September 26, 2016 and has no comments or concerns with this document.

Anwaatin Inc. ("**Anwaatin**") filed a proposed change to this List on September 29, 2016. Anwaatin proposes to add a new issue addressing whether "Hydro One has undertaken adequate outreach and consultation with Indigenous communities and groups and are its processes and procedures sufficient to do so?"

Hydro One objects to Anwaatin's proposed inclusion. The intended scope of inquiry and implied obligations contemplated with Anwaatin's issue are beyond what is contemplated in the Board's Filing Requirements for Electricity Transmission Applications and are not prerequisites to an applicant seeking Board approval of rates pursuant to section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, S.O 1998, c.15*.

As such, the issue should not be included in the Issues List for this proceeding.

Yours truly,

McCarthy Tétrault LLP

Per:



For: Gordon M. Nettleton

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