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

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Service Area Amendment Application for Veridian Connections Inc. and Hydro One Networks Inc.

Please find attached a Service Area Amendment ("SAA") application for Veridian Connections Inc. ("Veridian") with a letter of consent provided by Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One").

Veridian submits that there will be no adverse impacts on existing customers, and therefore ask that the Board dispose of the proceeding without a hearing under Section 21(4)(b) of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998.

The application has been prepared in accordance with the Board's *Filing Requirements for Service Area Amendment Applications* dated March 12, 2007. These requirements require the inclusion of certain confidential customer information. Therefore, the application is being filed in accordance with the Board's *Practice Direction of Confidential Filings*. As such, please find enclosed two copies of a confidential filing, and two copies of a non-confidential public filing.

Should you have any questions on this application, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Steve Zebrowski Manager of Regulatory Affairs and Conservation Veridian Connections Inc.

cc: Joanne Richardson, Hydro One Networks Inc.

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