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BY E-MAIL

October 20, 2016

Geoffrey Sutton
Chief Financial Officer
Northern Ontario Wires Inc.
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LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Sutton:

**Re: Northern Ontario Wires Inc. (Northern Ontario Wires)
Application for 2017 Rates
Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2016-0096**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued its Notice of Hearing for Northern Ontario Wires' application for 2017 Rates (Notice). The Notice will be published by the OEB, in accordance with directions to the OEB's agent which were copied to you. Please note that you must comply with the directions in paragraphs 1 and 2 below **prior to October 27, 2016**, which is the publication date of the newspaper in which the Notice will appear last. If you are unable to comply with the directions within this timeframe, you must inform the Registrar at Registrar@ontarioenergyboard.ca immediately.

You are directed:

1. No later than the date the Notice is posted on Northern Ontario Wires' website in accordance with paragraph 2, to arrange for the service of each of the enclosed English and French versions of the Notice, in the exact form accompanying this letter and the application and the evidence, directly on the intervenors of record in Northern Ontario Wires' 2013 Cost of Service proceeding (EB-2012-0153).
2. To make a copy of both the English and French versions of the Notice, the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Northern Ontario Wires's office and in a prominent place on Northern Ontario Wires' website.

3. To file with the OEB an affidavit in both electronic and paper forms proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 and 2 above immediately thereafter.
4. To provide a copy of the Notice, application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any documents or materials when serving the Notice other than documents or materials expressly required by this letter of direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kristi Sebalj
Registrar
Office of the Registrar

Encl.

cc: Michael Buonaguro, Applicant's Counsel