



# Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario

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## DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2016-0226/EB-2016-0227

## XOOM ENERGY ONT, ULC

Applications for Gas Marketer & Electricity Retailer Licences

BY DELEGATION,

BEFORE: Peter Fraser  
Vice President

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November 10, 2016

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XOOM Energy ONT, ULC (XOOM Energy) filed separate applications on July 18, 2016 with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB), under section 50 and section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for a Gas Marketer Licence and Electricity Retailer Licence, respectively. The licences would allow the applicant to market natural gas and retail electricity to customers in Ontario.

A Notice of Application and Written Hearing was posted on the OEB's website on August 8, 2016. The Notice provided time for interrogatories and submissions on the application evidence, as well responses from the applicant. On August 18, 2016, Planet Energy (Ontario) Corp. (Planet Energy) filed interrogatories on the application. On August 25, 2016, OEB Staff filed interrogatories on the application. The applicant responded to those interrogatories on September 12, 2016.

On September 30, 2016 the OEB issued Procedural Order #1 extending the time for submissions on the application evidence. OEB staff filed a submission on the application evidence on October 6, 2016. Planet Energy filed a submission on the application evidence on October 7, 2016. XOOM Energy replied to the submissions on October 14, 2016. Following completion of the record, on October 18, 2016, Planet Energy filed a submission in reply to XOOM Energy's reply submission. XOOM Energy replied to Planet Energy's submission on the same day. On October 19, 2016 Planet Energy responded to XOOM Energy's response.

This Decision and Order is being issued by Delegated Authority, pursuant to Section 6 of the Act.

After considering the evidence, I find it to be in the public interest to issue a Gas Marketer and Electricity Retailer Licence to XOOM Energy. The licences will have a term of two years. This term will give the applicant an opportunity to establish itself as reliable market participant in the Ontario gas marketing and electricity retailing market. The two year term will also allow the OEB to assess and review XOOM Energy's experience in the marketplace should it choose to file for renewal of its licences.

### IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The applications for a gas marketer licence and electricity retailer licence are granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licences.

**DATED** at Toronto, November 10, 2016

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

*Original Signed By*

Peter Fraser  
Vice President