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**BY E-MAIL** 

December 7, 2016

Amy La Selva Grimsby Power Inc. 231 Roberts Road Grimsby ON L3M 5N2 amyl@grimsbypower.com

Dear Ms. La Selva:

Re: Grimsby Power Inc. Application for Rates OEB File Number EB-2016-0073

As outlined in the case management letter issued on August 29, 2016, the Ontario Energy Board's (OEB) Vice President, Applications has been delegated authority under Section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* to make a decision on the 2017 Price Cap IR application filed by Grimsby Power Inc. on October 14, 2016. All relevant information and updates to the application have now been provided. Any further changes to the models will be documented and provided to you for review.

Attached to this letter is a draft of the decision the delegated authority proposes to make based on the application and any subsequent updates or clarifications. Please review the decision and provide any comments. Please also review the accompanying draft Rate Order for accuracy and completeness. Any comments are to be provided no later than December 14, 2016.

The Vice President, Applications will consider your comments, if any, provided they have been received by the deadline, and issue a final decision and rate order in due course.

You will notice that this draft decision does not reflect any rate changes to regulatory charges for 2017. If the OEB orders a change to regulatory charges before the issuance of this final decision, your case manager will update the model and decision accordingly. Any further changes to the models will be documented and provided to you for review before the decision is finalized.

Any questions relating to this letter or your application should be directed to Martha McOuat, Project Advisor at 416-440-7606 or <u>martha.mcouat@ontarioenergyboard.ca.</u>

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary