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BY E-MAIL

December 12, 2016

Philip Martin VP, Finance and Regulatory Compliance 100 Simcoe Street South Oshawa ON L1H 7M7 pmartin@opuc.on.ca

Dear Mr. Martin:

Re: Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. (Oshawa PUC) Application for Rates OEB File Number EB-2016-0323

The OEB received Oshawa PUC's 2017 electricity distribution rates, custom IR, year 3 update application on October 28, 2016. The OEB has assigned file number EB-2016-0323 to the application. An employee of the OEB, to whom authority has been delegated under Section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* intends to make a decision on the application without holding a hearing.

Your application is available on the <u>2017 EDR webpage</u> of the OEB's website. You are directed to make a copy of the application available in a prominent place on your company's website within 3 business days.

OEB staff may have questions regarding the application and will be in contact with you directly by email, in writing, by telephone, or through one or more teleconferences.

Any required updates to the application or applicable models related to OEB staff questions are to be completed no later than December 16, 2016 by Oshawa PUC.

Following these steps, the delegated decision maker will issue a final decision and rate order.

Please note that the timely processing of the application depends on the receipt of information within the specified timelines. Any questions relating to this letter or the process for your application should be directed to Chris Codd, Project Advisor at (416) 440-7650 or <u>chris.codd@ontarioenergyboard.ca</u>.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary