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January 30, 2017

#### **EMAIL, RESS & COURIER**

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

Attention:

Ms. K. Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Henvey Inlet - Application for Leave to Construct Transmission Facilities (EB-2016-0310) – Affidavits of Service

We are counsel to Henvey Inlet Wind GP Inc. and Henvey Inlet Wind LP (together, "Henvey") in respect of the above-referenced proceeding. Further to the Board's Letter of Direction issued January 5, 2017, enclosed are affidavits of service from Mr. Jody Law and Ms. Jennifer Labrecque.

Please note that Exhibit 'D' to the affidavit of service from Ms. Labrecque is being filed in confidence as it contains personal information consisting of the names and addresses of the numerous landowners that were served with the Notice of Application. The public versions have been filed on RESS. Two hard copies and the confidential version are being delivered by courier to the Board.

Yours truly,

Jonathan Myers

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cc: Mr. J. Law, Henvey Mr. C. Keizer, Torys LLP

#### ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15 (Sched. B);

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Henvey Inlet Wind GP Inc. on behalf of Henvey Inlet Wind LP for an Order or Orders pursuant to Section 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (as amended) granting leave to construct transmission facilities between Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve No. 2 and Parry Sound, Ontario.

#### AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, Jennifer Labrecque, of the City of Mississauga, in the Province of Ontario, **MAKE OATH AND SAY**:

- I am an employee of CanACRE Ltd. ("CanACRE"), which has been retained by Henvey Inlet Wind GP Inc. on behalf of Henvey Inlet Wind LP (together, "Henvey") to provide various consulting services, particularly in respect of land-related matters, in connection with the above-captioned transmission facilities. In my role as Counsel with CanACRE, I have been responsible for overseeing certain aspects of the service of the Notice of Application and Hearing issued on January 5, 2017 (the "Notice") by the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") in this proceeding (EB-2016-0310) in respect of Henvey's application for leave to construct transmission facilities. As such, I have personal knowledge of the matters herein deposed. Where the information set out in this affidavit is based upon information which I have received from others, I have stated the source of that information and believe it to be true.
- 2. Further to Section 1 of the Board's Letter of Direction dated January 5, 2017 (the "Letter"), a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit 'A'**, I can confirm that, from January 9, 2017 to January 10, 2017, CanACRE reviewed and updated the title searches that it had previously carried out so as to confirm the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interests in lands or land claims in the lands directly affected by the proposed transmission line route and related facilities.
- 3. I am advised by Andrew Tees, an employee of CanACRE, that on January 10, 2017 he attended various town halls to confirm, based on municipal records, all mailing addresses for all current registered owners of lands directly affected by the proposed transmission line route and related facilities.
- 4. Further to Section 2 of the Letter, I oversaw and arranged for the Notice (a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit 'B'**), together with a copy of the Application (a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit 'C'**), to be served by registered mail on January 12, 2017 to each of the persons referred to in Subsections 2(a) (m) of the Letter, as evidenced by the registered mail tracking slips and receipts attached hereto as **Exhibit 'D'**.

- 5. Some of the Notices and Applications that were delivered in accordance with paragraph 4, above, were returned on account of the mailing addresses being undeliverable or on account of the intended recipient not being at the address attempted for delivery. With respect to these Notices and Applications, CanACRE investigated and found alternative addresses for most of the intended recipients and re-attempted service by registered mail to the alternative addresses by approximately January 18, 2017.
- 6. Some of the Notices and Applications that were delivered in accordance with paragraph 4, above, were not picked up by the intended recipient from their local post office and, as of the date of this affidavit, remain at such post offices awaiting pick-up. Notwithstanding that the Notices and Applications had already been delivered and were awaiting pick-up, CanACRE took additional steps on behalf of Henvey by having an employee of CanACRE, Devin Wosminity, effect personal delivery on January 25, 2017 and January 26, 2017 for those Notices and Applications that as of such date had not been picked up by the intended recipients.
- 7. Despite the efforts described herein, I understand that as of the date of this affidavit there remain four (4) Notices and Applications that have not reached their intended recipients. For one of these intended recipients, located at an address in the United States, CanACRE is planning to attempt personal delivery through its American affiliate by no later than January 30, 2017. For two of these intended recipients, each of which is an encumbrancer and not a landowner, CanACRE has determined that the intended recipient is deceased. CanACRE intends to consult with the relevant landowners as to whether the encumbrances continue to affect title to the properties. For one of these intended recipients, CanACRE's field agent was unable to locate the address when attempting personal delivery, but a notice card was issued indicating that the recipient may pick the item up at their local post office.

SWORN BEFORE ME at the City of Toronto this 27 day of January, 2017.

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits

Jennifer Labrecque

Adam James Fulford
a Commissioner for Taking Affidavits,
Province Of Ontario,
for CanACRE Ltd.
Expires December 9, 2017.

## Exhibit "A"

## Letter of Direction

## Henvey Inlet Wind LP

This Exhibit "A" referred to in the affidavit of Jennifer Labrecque sworn before me this 27 day of January, 2017.

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Adam James Fulford
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BY E-MAIL

January 5, 2016

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## LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Law:

Re: Henvey Inlet Wind LP (Henvey Inlet)

Application for leave to construct transmission facilities between Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve No. 2 and Parry Sound, Ontario Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2016-0310

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued its Notice of Hearing for Henvey Inlet's application for leave to construct transmission facilities (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 January 13, 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 Board Secretary immediately.

#### You are directed:

- 1. To conduct a search of title forthwith, sufficient to determine the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest or land claims in the lands impacted by the proposed route affected by the proposed transmission line and related facilities.
- 2. No later than the date the Notice is posted on Henvey Inlet's website in accordance with paragraph 3, to arrange for the service personally, by courier, or by registered mail of the enclosed Notice, in the exact form accompanying this letter and the application directly upon each of the following:

- All directly affected property owners along the proposed route and encumbrancers with lands, interest or land claims in lands identified by the search of title referred to above
- b. Hydro One Networks Inc.
- c. All electricity distributors in whose service areas the proposed transmission line and related facilities are or will be located
- d. All generators connected directly to the Hydro One Networks Inc. transmission line to which the proposed transmission line and related facilities will connect
- e. All transmission customers of Hydro One Networks Inc. connected directly to the transmission line to which the proposed transmission line and related facilities will connect
- f. All owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications (e.g. telephone) or other utilities along or crossing the route and location for the proposed transmission line and related facilities
- g. The Clerk of the Town of Parry Sound
- h. The Clerks, Chiefs and Band Council Offices of the Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve, the Magnetawan First Nation Reserve and the Shawanaga First Nation Reserve, and to arrange for the Notice be posted on the websites and published in the newspapers or newsletters of each of the Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve, the Magnetawan First Nation Reserve and the Shawanaga First Nation Reserve, if applicable
- i. The Clerks of all other municipal or township offices of the communities that the transmission line and related facilities of the Henvey Inlet Wind LP crosses
- j. The Clerks, Chiefs and Band Council Offices of all Indigenous Communities not otherwise listed in h) above that were consulted or were identified by the Ontario Ministry of the Environment as part of the Renewable Energy Approval application process
- k. The Chiefs of Ontario Toronto Administration Office Location: 111 Peter Street, Suite 804 Toronto, ON, M5V 2H1 and to Ontario Regional Chief Isadore Day (c/o Veronica McLeod, Executive Assistant to Ontario Regional Chief, veronica.mcleod@coo.org)
- I. The following provincial government ministries and agencies:
  - i. Ministry of Energy
  - ii. Ministry of Infrastructure
  - iii. Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change
  - iv. Ministry of Natural Resources

- v. Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation
- vi. Ministry of Transportation
- vii. Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
- viii. Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport
- ix. Ministry of the Attorney General
- x. Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
- xi. Infrastructure Ontario
- xii. Electrical Safety Authority
- xiii. Independent Electricity System Operator
- m. The following federal government departments:
  - i. Transport Canada
  - ii. Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada
- 3. To make a copy of the Notice, the application and evidence and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Henvey Inlet's head office and in a prominent place on the Henvey Inlet website.
- 4. To file with the OEB, in both electronic and hard copy format, affidavit evidence proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 through 4 above immediately thereafter, with the relevant Notices and original post office registration receipts (where applicable), or courier confirmation lists attached as appendices.
- 5. To provide a copy of the Notice, application and evidence, and any amendments or additional materials as they are developed, to any person 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

Encl.

c: Jonathan Myers, Torys LLP

### Exhibit "B"

## Notice of Application

## Henvey Inlet Wind LP

This Exhibit "B" referred to in the affidavit of Jennifer Labrecque sworn before me this 22 day of January, 2017.

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits

Adam James Fulford
a Commissioner for Taking Affidavits,
Province Of Ontario,
for CanACRE Ltd.
Expires December 9, 2017.

## ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE

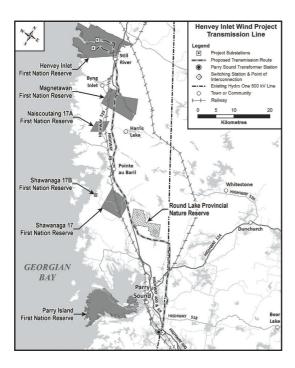
# Henvey Inlet Wind LP has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to build a high-voltage transmission line.

#### Learn more.

**Henvey Inlet Wind LP** is asking the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for permission to construct approximately 103 kilometres of 230 kilovolt electricity overhead transmission line and associated facilities. The transmission line would connect the company's **Henvey Inlet Wind Energy Centre** to the provincial power grid.

**Henvey Inlet Wind LP** is also asking the OEB to approve the forms of agreements it offers to landowners to use their land for routing or construction of the proposed line.

A map of the proposed route for the transmission line is printed below.



**Henvey Inlet Wind LP**'s application to the OEB concerns construction of the proposed transmission line and associated transmission facilities only. It does not concern the construction or operation of the Henvey Inlet Wind Energy Centre itself.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. It will hold a public hearing to consider Henvey Inlet Wind LP's requests. During this hearing, the OEB will consider evidence and arguments by Henvey Inlet Wind LP and by individuals, municipalities and others whose interests would be affected.

The OEB hearing will consider specific issues determined by law. The Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, specifies the issues the OEB is to consider in making its decision. If you wish to participate in the OEB hearing, it is important for you to understand what these issues are.

As required by the *Ontario Energy Board Act* the OEB will consider three issues:

- The interests of consumers with respect to prices and the reliability and quality of electricity service;
- The promotion of the use of renewable energy sources in a manner consistent with the policies of the Government of Ontario; and

 The form of agreement that Henvey Inlet Wind LP offers to landowners affected by the route or location of the transmission line.

The OEB hearing is not the only approval process required before a line is built. For example, most transmission lines are subject to the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change's Renewable Energy Approval process. The Board's review will only address the three factors outlined above and will not address other factors, such as, environmental, health, aesthetics or property value impacts.

#### **BE INFORMED**

You have the right to information regarding **Henvey Inlet Wind LP**'s application. You can read **Henvey Inlet Wind LP**'s application on the OEB's website (See below under "Learn More").

#### **HAVE YOUR SAY**

If you would be affected by the proposed transmission line, you may want to take a more active role in the hearing.

- You can send the OEB a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing; or
- You can ask the OEB for permission to be an active participant in the hearing (an intervenor). Intervenors can provide evidence, argue their positions and submit relevant questions to be answered by Henvey Inlet Wind LP (interrogatories). To be an intervenor, a party must be affected by the transmission line in a way that relates directly to the issues the OEB will consider. If you wish to be an intervenor, the OEB must receive your request by January 23, 2017.

#### **LEARN MORE**

To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to read the documents related to this case, please select the file no. **EB-2016-0310** from the list on the OEB website: **www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/noticeltc.** You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

#### **ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS**

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. **Henvey Inlet Wind LP** has applied for a written hearing. The OEB is considering this request. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **January 23, 2017.** 

#### **PRIVACY**

If you write a letter with your comments, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the OEB's public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will be public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all your information will be public.

This application was filed under sections 92, 97 and 101 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B.

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## Exhibit "C"

## Application

## Henvey Inlet Wind LP

This Exhibit "C" referred to in the affidavit of Jennifer Labrecque sworn before me this 27 day of January, 2017.

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits

Adam James Fultord
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Expires December 9, 2017.

#### **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

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**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by Henvey Inlet Wind GP Inc. on behalf of Henvey Inlet Wind LP for an Order or Orders pursuant to Section 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (as amended) granting leave to construct transmission facilities between Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve No. 2 and Parry Sound, Ontario.

#### **APPLICATION**

- 1. Henvey Inlet Wind GP Inc. ("Henvey Wind GP") is an Ontario corporation and the general partner of Henvey Inlet Wind LP ("Henvey Wind LP"), an Ontario limited partnership established for the purposes of developing, owning and operating the Henvey Inlet Wind Energy Centre ("HIWEC") on Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve No. 2 (the "Reserve"), with transmission facilities running off the Reserve to deliver electricity generated by the HIWEC to the Ontario electricity grid.
- 2. The HIWEC is being developed through a joint venture partnership between Nigig Power Corporation ("Nigig") and Pattern Renewable Holdings Canada ULC ("Pattern Canada"), a wholly owned indirect subsidiary of Pattern Energy Group LP ("Pattern Development"). The shares of Henvey Wind GP are held 50% by Nigig and 50% by Pattern Canada. The limited partnership interests in Henvey Wind LP are held 49.99% by Nigig, 49.99% by Pattern Canada, and 0.02% by Henvey Wind GP.
- 3. Nigig is an Ontario corporation that is wholly owned by Henvey Inlet First Nation ("**Henvey Inlet FN**"), which is an Anishinabek community comprised of three reserve properties, one of which is the Reserve located on the northeast shore of Georgian Bay, approximately 70 km north of Parry Sound.

- 4. Pattern Development is a leader in developing renewable energy and transmission assets through its expertise and experience in wind resource analysis, site development, finance, construction, operations and asset management. Pattern Development also owns a minority interest in, and provides management services to Pattern Energy Group Inc. ("PEGI"), a publicly listed renewable energy company that owns, manages and operates 18 wind power facilities, including one it has agreed to acquire, with a total owned capacity of 2,644 MW.
- 5. Henvey Wind GP on behalf of Henvey Wind LP (the "Applicant") hereby applies to the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") pursuant to Section 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 (the "Act") for an order or orders granting leave to construct the following transmission and interconnection facilities:
  - (a) a substation located on the Reserve, sited approximately 0.4 km north of the Henvey Inlet and 6 km west of Provincial Highway 69, at which power from the 34.5 kV collection system associated with the northern portion of the HIWEC will be transformed from 34.5 kV to 230 kV by means of one 230 kV/34.5 kV step-up transformer rated at 105/140/175 MVA, with under load tap changer ("North Project Substation");
  - (b) a substation located on the Reserve, sited approximately 1.2 km south of the Henvey Inlet and 6.5 km west of Provincial Highway 69, at which power from the 34.5 kV collection system associated with the southern portion of the HIWEC will be transformed from 34.5 kV to 230 kV by means of one 230 kV/34.5 kV step-up transformer rated at 105/140/175 MVA, with under load tap changer ("South Project Substation");
  - (c) an approximately 103 km single circuit, overhead, 230 kV transmission line (the "**Transmission Line**"), comprised of:
    - (i) an approximately 8 km segment running from the North Project

      Substation, and an approximately 6 km segment running from the South

- Project Substation, to a point on the Reserve where these two segments join together (the "**Tap Point**"); and
- (ii) an approximately 89 km segment that runs from the Tap Point to the Switching Station (described below);
- (d) a 230 kV switching station located on BLK B, C, D, E, F PL 295; PT LT 129 FOLEY PT 1 42R3535 E of PT 1, 2 42R14465; S/T RO89192; S/T RO31587, RO44832, in the Township of Seguin (PIN 52182-1013), adjacent to the existing Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") circuits E26 and E27, and located approximately 0.6 km east of Hydro One's existing Parry Sound TS (the "Switching Station"); and
- (e) an approximately 180 m line tap from the Switching Station to Hydro One's E26 and E27 circuits (the "Line Tap").
- 6. The facilities described in paragraph 5 are collectively referred to in this Application as the "**Proposed Transmission Facilities**".
- 7. The Applicant further requests approval of the Board pursuant to Section 97 of the Act for the forms of land agreements it has offered or will offer to directly affected landowners.
- 8. Moreover, the Applicant requests approval of the Board pursuant to Section 101 of the Act for authority to construct portions of the Proposed Transmission Facilities upon, under or over a highway, utility line or ditch.
- 9. The Applicant is developing and planning to construct and operate a 300 MW wind generation facility, known as the HIWEC, on the Reserve pursuant to a contract issued by the former Ontario Power Authority under the Feed-in Tariff ("FIT") Program (the

"Generation Project"). The Applicant requires the Proposed Transmission Facilities to enable it to convey electricity to the Independent Electricity System Operator ("IESO") controlled grid from the Generation Project, consistent with its obligations under its FIT contract, the objectives of the FIT Program and the renewable energy policies of the Province of Ontario.

- 10. The Applicant proposes to locate each of the North Project Substation and the South Project Substation on the Reserve. The Applicant has acquired the relevant land rights through a lease entered into with Henvey Inlet FN (the "Henvey Lease"). The Applicant proposes to locate the Switching Station on private lands that are owned by the Township of Seguin and has initiated discussions with the Township of Seguin to purchase a portion of the relevant property.
- 11. The Applicant proposes to locate the Transmission Line along a combination of on-Reserve lands and off-Reserve lands. With respect to the portion of the Transmission Line that will be situated on the Reserve, the Applicant has acquired the necessary land rights through the Henvey Lease.
- 12. With respect to the portion of the Transmission Line that will be situated off of the Reserve, the Transmission Line will be located on a combination of Crown lands, public highway rights-of-way and private lands. In addition, portions of the Transmission Line may be located on the reserve lands of the Magnetawan First Nation ("Magnetawan FN") and the reserve lands of the Shawanaga First Nation ("Shawanaga FN"). The Applicant's planned routing would run through each of the Magnetawan FN Reserve and the Shawanaga FN Reserve.

- 13. For the portions of the Transmission Line to be situated on Crown lands, Magnetawan FN and Shawanaga FN reserve lands and public highway rights-of-way, the Applicant has initiated discussions with the relevant governmental authorities and First Nations bands in an effort to secure the necessary land rights. For those portions of the Transmission Line to be situated on private lands, the Applicant has offered or intends to offer easement option agreements to the directly affected landowners, which options would be exercised prior to commencing construction.
- 14. The Applicant received a System Impact Assessment ("SIA") Final Report from the IESO dated June 30, 2015. In the SIA Final Report, the IESO concludes that the proposed connection of the Generation Project to the IESO-controlled grid, by means of the Proposed Transmission Facilities and subject to the requirements specified in the SIA Final Report, is expected to have no material adverse impact on the reliability of the integrated power system. The IESO issued a Notification of Conditional Approval for Connection concurrently with the SIA Final Report.
- 15. In late October 2015, the Applicant requested amendments to the SIA Final Report due primarily to a change in the turbine model, changes to the Generation Facility's collector system design and certain modifications to the substation design. On September 30, 2016 the IESO issued a final SIA Addendum Report, which indicates that the IESO remains of the view that the proposed connection, as modified, is expected to have no material adverse impacts on the reliability of the integrated power system.
- 16. The Applicant received a Customer Impact Assessment ("CIA") Final Report from Hydro One dated June 30, 2015. The CIA Final Report concludes that the connection of the Generation Project to Hydro One's system, by means of the Proposed Transmission Facilities, will not adversely impact existing Hydro One customers in the vicinity of the project. As noted, the Applicant requested a minor amendment to its SIA Final Report in late October 2015. As part of the SIA amendment process, the IESO advised Hydro One so that Hydro One could determine if the changes required any corresponding

- amendments to the CIA Final Report. Hydro One confirmed that no amendments to the CIA Final Report were required.
- 17. The Applicant has completed an Environmental Review under the Category B Environmental Screening Process pursuant to Ontario Regulation 116/01, under the Environmental Assessment Act (Ontario) for the off-Reservation portion of the Proposed Transmission Facilities. The relevant process is described in the Ontario Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change Guide to Environmental Assessment Requirements for Electricity Projects. This process includes a review of potential environmental effects associated with the construction, operation and decommissioning of the relevant Proposed Transmission Facilities. The Applicant is in the process of completing a minor amendment to its environmental assessment to reflect revisions to the areas to be affected by the construction footprint for the Proposed Transmission Facilities and associated laydown areas and access roads. In addition, the Applicant has obtained an Environmental Assessment Permit from Henvey Inlet FN for the on-Reserve portions of the Proposed Transmission Facilities. Henvey Inlet FN has the authority to issue its own Environmental Assessment Permit for the HIWEC, including the on-Reserve portions of the Proposed Transmission Facilities, pursuant to the First Nations Lands Management Act.
- 18. Subject to receipt of all necessary permits and approvals, as well as land rights, the Applicant plans to commence construction of the Proposed Transmission Facilities in Q2 of 2017. Construction is expected to take approximately 18 months to complete. The Proposed Transmission Facilities would then be commissioned and be ready for service by approximately Q4 of 2018, which is generally aligned with the anticipated commencement of operations for the Generation Project.
- 19. The cost of the Proposed Transmission Facilities will be borne by the Applicant. As such, the project will not affect electricity transmission rates in Ontario.

- 20. The evidence in support of this Application has been prepared in accordance with the requirements set out in the Board's *Filing Requirements for Electricity Transmission Applications Chapter 4, Applications Under Section 92 of the Ontario Energy Board Act*, as amended July 31, 2014.
- 21. The Applicant requests that copies of all documents filed with or issued by the Board in connection with this Application be served on the Applicant and it's counsel as follows:

## Applicant:

Henvey Inlet Wind LP c/o Pattern Renewable Holdings Canada ULC 355 Adelaide St. W., Suite 100 Toronto, ON M5V 1S2

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Mr. Charles Keizer
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22. Additional written evidence, as required, may be filed in support of this Application, which may be amended from time to time prior to the Board's final decision.

23. The Applicant requests that the Board proceed by way of written hearing, pursuant to Section 32.01 of the Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure*.

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, this 14th day of October, 2016.

HENVEY INLET WIND GP INC. on behalf of HENVEY INLET WIND LP

By its counsel

Torys LLP

Jonathan Myers

## Exhibit "D"

## Registered Mail Tracking Slips and Receipts

## Henvey Inlet Wind LP

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A Commissioner for taking Affidavits

Adam James Fulford a Commissioner for Taking Affidavits, Province Of Ontario, for CanACRE Ltd. Expires December 9, 2017

# [INTENTIONALLY DELETED - FILED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD'S *PRACTICE DIRECTIONS ON CONFIDENTIAL FILINGS*]

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#### AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, Jody Law, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

- I am an employee of Pattern Energy Group LP ("Pattern Development"), which is developing the above-referenced transmission facilities, in partnership with Nigig Power Corporation, through Henvey Inlet Wind LP ("Henvey"). In my role as Manager, Business Development with Pattern Development, I have been responsible for overseeing certain aspects of the service of the Notice of Application and Hearing issued on January 5, 2017 by the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") in proceeding EB-2016-0310 in respect of Henvey's application for leave to construct transmission facilities (the "Notice") and, as such, have personal knowledge of the matters herein deposed. Where the information set out in this affidavit is based upon information which I have received from others, I have stated the source of that information and believe it to be true.
- 2. Further to Section 3 of the Board's Letter of Direction dated January 5, 2017 (the "Letter"), a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit 'A'**, I can confirm that as of January 13, 2017 Henvey made copies of the Notice, the application and the amended pre-filed evidence available for public review at Henvey's head office, being c/o Pattern Development, 355 Adelaide Street West, Suite 100, Toronto, ON M5V 1S2, and in a prominent place on the Henvey Inlet project website at <a href="http://www.henveyinletwind.com/documents/">http://www.henveyinletwind.com/documents/</a>. A copy of the Notice is attached hereto as **Exhibit 'B'**. The application and amended pre-filed evidence as posted on Henvey's website are in an identical form to that which are posted on the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System in connection with EB-2016-0310.
- 3. Further to Section 2(h) of the Letter, I can confirm that on January 12, 2017 our Community Relations Specialist, Pat Murray, attempted to arrange for the Notice to be posted on the website and published in the newspapers or newsletters of the Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve, if available. As a result of these efforts, I understand that the

Notice was posted on the Henvey Inlet First Nation website, <a href="www.hifn.ca">www.hifn.ca</a>, as of January 13, 2017 and that there was no community newspaper or newsletter in which the Notice could be published within a suitable timeframe. In addition, I can confirm that on January 12, January 16 and January 25, 2017 our Community Relations Specialist, Pat Murray, attempted to arrange for the Notice to be posted on the websites and published in the newspapers or newsletters of the Magnetawan First Nation Reserve and the Shawanaga First Nation Reserve, if available. As of the date of this Affidavit, neither of these First Nations have responded to these requests.

SWORN BEFORE ME at the City of	)	
Toronto this day of January, 2017.	)	
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## Exhibit "A"

## Letter of Direction

## Henvey Inlet Wind LP

This Exhibit "A" referred to in the affidavit of Jody Law sworn before me this <u>a</u>day of January, 2017.

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BY E-MAIL

January 5, 2016

Mr. Jody Law Henvey Inlet Wind LP C/o Pattern Renewable Holdings Canada ULC 355 Adelaide St. W., Suite 100 Toronto, Ontario M5V 1S2 jody.law@patternenergy.com

## LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Law:

Re: Henvey Inlet Wind LP (Henvey Inlet)

Application for leave to construct transmission facilities between Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve No. 2 and Parry Sound, Ontario Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2016-0310

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued its Notice of Hearing for Henvey Inlet's application for leave to construct transmission facilities (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 January 13, 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 Board Secretary immediately.

#### You are directed:

- 1. To conduct a search of title forthwith, sufficient to determine the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest or land claims in the lands impacted by the proposed route affected by the proposed transmission line and related facilities.
- 2. No later than the date the Notice is posted on Henvey Inlet's website in accordance with paragraph 3, to arrange for the service personally, by courier, or by registered mail of the enclosed Notice, in the exact form accompanying this letter and the application directly upon each of the following:

- All directly affected property owners along the proposed route and encumbrancers with lands, interest or land claims in lands identified by the search of title referred to above
- b. Hydro One Networks Inc.
- c. All electricity distributors in whose service areas the proposed transmission line and related facilities are or will be located
- d. All generators connected directly to the Hydro One Networks Inc. transmission line to which the proposed transmission line and related facilities will connect
- e. All transmission customers of Hydro One Networks Inc. connected directly to the transmission line to which the proposed transmission line and related facilities will connect
- f. All owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications (e.g. telephone) or other utilities along or crossing the route and location for the proposed transmission line and related facilities
- g. The Clerk of the Town of Parry Sound
- h. The Clerks, Chiefs and Band Council Offices of the Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve, the Magnetawan First Nation Reserve and the Shawanaga First Nation Reserve, and to arrange for the Notice be posted on the websites and published in the newspapers or newsletters of each of the Henvey Inlet First Nation Reserve, the Magnetawan First Nation Reserve and the Shawanaga First Nation Reserve, if applicable
- i. The Clerks of all other municipal or township offices of the communities that the transmission line and related facilities of the Henvey Inlet Wind LP crosses
- j. The Clerks, Chiefs and Band Council Offices of all Indigenous Communities not otherwise listed in h) above that were consulted or were identified by the Ontario Ministry of the Environment as part of the Renewable Energy Approval application process
- k. The Chiefs of Ontario Toronto Administration Office Location: 111 Peter Street, Suite 804 Toronto, ON, M5V 2H1 and to Ontario Regional Chief Isadore Day (c/o Veronica McLeod, Executive Assistant to Ontario Regional Chief, veronica.mcleod@coo.org)
- I. The following provincial government ministries and agencies:
  - i. Ministry of Energy
  - ii. Ministry of Infrastructure
  - iii. Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change
  - iv. Ministry of Natural Resources

- v. Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation
- vi. Ministry of Transportation
- vii. Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
- viii. Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport
- ix. Ministry of the Attorney General
- x. Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
- xi. Infrastructure Ontario
- xii. Electrical Safety Authority
- xiii. Independent Electricity System Operator
- m. The following federal government departments:
  - i. Transport Canada
  - ii. Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada
- 3. To make a copy of the Notice, the application and evidence and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Henvey Inlet's head office and in a prominent place on the Henvey Inlet website.
- 4. To file with the OEB, in both electronic and hard copy format, affidavit evidence proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 through 4 above immediately thereafter, with the relevant Notices and original post office registration receipts (where applicable), or courier confirmation lists attached as appendices.
- 5. To provide a copy of the Notice, application and evidence, and any amendments or additional materials as they are developed, to any person 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

Encl.

c: Jonathan Myers, Torys LLP

## Exhibit "B"

## Notice of Application

## Henvey Inlet Wind LP

This Exhibit "B" referred to in the affidavit of Jody Law sworn before me this <u>> day</u> of January, 2017.

A Commissioner for taking Affidavit

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### ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE

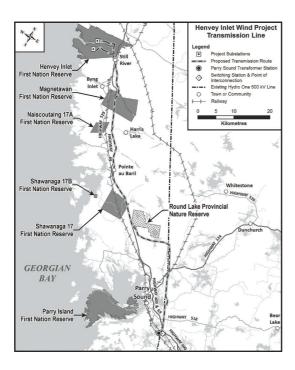
# Henvey Inlet Wind LP has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to build a high-voltage transmission line.

#### Learn more.

**Henvey Inlet Wind LP** is asking the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for permission to construct approximately 103 kilometres of 230 kilovolt electricity overhead transmission line and associated facilities. The transmission line would connect the company's **Henvey Inlet Wind Energy Centre** to the provincial power grid.

**Henvey Inlet Wind LP** is also asking the OEB to approve the forms of agreements it offers to landowners to use their land for routing or construction of the proposed line.

A map of the proposed route for the transmission line is printed below.



**Henvey Inlet Wind LP**'s application to the OEB concerns construction of the proposed transmission line and associated transmission facilities only. It does not concern the construction or operation of the Henvey Inlet Wind Energy Centre itself.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. It will hold a public hearing to consider Henvey Inlet Wind LP's requests. During this hearing, the OEB will consider evidence and arguments by Henvey Inlet Wind LP and by individuals, municipalities and others whose interests would be affected.

The OEB hearing will consider specific issues determined by law. The Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, specifies the issues the OEB is to consider in making its decision. If you wish to participate in the OEB hearing, it is important for you to understand what these issues are.

As required by the *Ontario Energy Board Act* the OEB will consider three issues:

- The interests of consumers with respect to prices and the reliability and quality of electricity service;
- The promotion of the use of renewable energy sources in a manner consistent with the policies of the Government of Ontario; and

 The form of agreement that Henvey Inlet Wind LP offers to landowners affected by the route or location of the transmission line.

The OEB hearing is not the only approval process required before a line is built. For example, most transmission lines are subject to the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change's Renewable Energy Approval process. The Board's review will only address the three factors outlined above and will not address other factors, such as, environmental, health, aesthetics or property value impacts.

#### **BE INFORMED**

You have the right to information regarding **Henvey Inlet Wind LP**'s application. You can read **Henvey Inlet Wind LP**'s application on the OEB's website (See below under "Learn More").

#### **HAVE YOUR SAY**

If you would be affected by the proposed transmission line, you may want to take a more active role in the hearing.

- You can send the OEB a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing; or
- You can ask the OEB for permission to be an active participant in the hearing (an intervenor). Intervenors can provide evidence, argue their positions and submit relevant questions to be answered by Henvey Inlet Wind LP (interrogatories). To be an intervenor, a party must be affected by the transmission line in a way that relates directly to the issues the OEB will consider. If you wish to be an intervenor, the OEB must receive your request by January 23, 2017.

#### **LEARN MORE**

To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to read the documents related to this case, please select the file no. **EB-2016-0310** from the list on the OEB website: **www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/noticeltc.** You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

#### **ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS**

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. **Henvey Inlet Wind LP** has applied for a written hearing. The OEB is considering this request. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **January 23, 2017.** 

#### **PRIVACY**

If you write a letter with your comments, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the OEB's public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will be public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all your information will be public.

This application was filed under sections 92, 97 and 101 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B.

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