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February 7, 2016 Our File: EB20160096

Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

## Re: EB-2016-0096 - Northern Ontario Wires Inc. - Settlement Conference

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). SEC writes to request a one day delay in the start of the Settlement Conference, from February 22<sup>nd</sup> to February 23<sup>rd</sup>, due to the unavailability of counsel.

Due to the Ontario Power Generation (EB-2016-0152) oral hearing scheduled to begin the same week, more specifically the sitting of witness panels relating to the Darlington Refurbishment Project, SEC has had to shift responsibility for this proceeding from the undersigned to its co-counsel Mr. Shepherd. Unfortunately, Mr. Shepherd is unavailable due to a competing commitment on February 22<sup>nd</sup>. A one day delay in the start of the Settlement Conference will allow for Mr. Shepherd to attend and should not require any other changes to the schedule set out in Procedural Order No.1.

SEC has spoken to representatives from all other parties (Northern Ontario Wires Inc., the Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario, and the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition), and they have all indicated that they are amenable to our request.

Yours very truly, **Jay Shepherd P.C.** 

Original signed by

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