



EB-2016-0152

Ontario Power Generation Inc.

**Application for payment amounts for the period from
January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2021**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 7
February 17, 2017**

Ontario Power Generation Inc. (OPG) filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on May 27, 2016 under section 78.1 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes in payment amounts for the output of its nuclear generating facilities and most of its hydroelectric generating facilities. The request seeks approval for nuclear payment amounts to be effective January 1, 2017 and for each following year through to December 31, 2021. The request seeks approval for hydroelectric payment amounts to be effective January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017 and approval of the hydroelectric payment amount setting formula for the period January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2021.

Oral Hearing Schedule

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the oral hearing schedule set out in Procedural Order No. 6 must be revised. The oral hearing will commence on February 27, 2017 with cross examination of OPG witness panel 1A. The presentation of the settlement proposal will be deferred to ensure that the maximum time is available for cross examination of witness panels 1A and 1B. Parties should also consider deferring all preliminary matters that can be reasonably deferred. Oral hearing dates up to and including April 13, 2017 are set out in this procedural order.

The parties shall work with OEB staff to develop an appropriate hearing plan.

The OEB considers it necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. The following oral hearing dates are cancelled: February 21, 23 and 24, 2017.
2. The oral hearing will begin on **February 27, 2017** starting at 9:30 a.m., at 2300 Yonge Street, 25th floor, Toronto. The oral hearing will continue, for unsettled primary issues and for issues deemed oral hearing only, on the following dates, as required:

February 28, 2017
March 2, 2017
March 3, 2017
March 6, 2017
March 7, 2017
March 9, 2017
March 10, 2017
March 20, 2017
March 21, 2017
March 23, 2017
March 24, 2017
March 27, 2017
March 28, 2017
March 30, 2017
March 31, 2017
April 3, 2017
April 4, 2017
April 5, 2017
April 6, 2017
April 7, 2017
April 12, 2017
April 13, 2017

DATED at Toronto, **February 17, 2017**

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary