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Elimination of Long Term Load Transfers Between Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. And Canadian Niagara Power Inc.

Combined Service Area Amendment and Asset Transfer Application

Date: May 4, 2017

PART I: SERVICE AREA AMENDMENT

1.1 Basic Facts

This joint application addresses the elimination of long-term load transfer ("LTLT") arrangements between Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. ("NPEI") and Canadian Niagara Power Inc. ("CNPI").

This is an application combining and streamlining the elements of a Service Area Amendment application and a Section 86(1)(b) Transfer of Assets application for LTLT purposes only.

1.2 Identification of the Parties

1.2.1 Applicant

Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc.	Licence Number: ED-2007-0749
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L2E 6S9	Facsimile Number: 905-356-0118
	E-mail Address: paul.blythin@npei.ca

1.2.2 Co-Applicant

Canadian Niagara Power Inc.	Licence Number: ED-2002-0572		
	Contact Person: Greg Beharriell		
1130 Bertie St. PO Box 1218	Telephone Number: 905-871-0330 ext 3278		
Fort Erie, Ontario	Facsimile Number:		
	E-mail Address: greg.beharriell@cnpower.com		

Description of Proposed Service Area

Provide a detailed service area description of the area(s) that is subject to the SAA and 1.3.1 how the amendments should be reflected in Schedule 1 of the licence(s) of the distributor(s).

The proposed amendments are premise specific. Upon approval of this application, all of the premises listed in Attachment 2 will be added to NPEI's licence, and removed from CNPI's licence. Upon approval of this application, all of the premises listed in Attachment 1 will be added to CNPI's licence, and removed from NPEI's licence.

These amendments should be reflected in NPEI's and CNPI's respective distribution licences as follows:

Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. (ED-2007-0749)

At the time of filing this application, Item1 of Schedule 1 of NPEI's distribution licence reads as follows:

1. The City of Niagara Falls as at January 1, 1980 excluding the customers located at 8001 Daly Street, 7780 Stanley Ave and 6225 Progress Street.

The proposed wording of Item1 of Schedule 1 in NPEI's amended licence is as follows:

- 1. The City of Niagara Falls as at January 1, 1980, including the customers located at the following physical addresses:
 - 3288 Montrose Road, Stevensville
 - 3362 Montrose Road, Stevensville
 - 3392 Montrose Road, Stevensville

excluding the customers located at the following physical addresses:

- 8001 Daly Street, Niagara Falls
- 7780 Stanley Avenue, Niagara Falls
- 6225 Progress Street, Niagara Falls
- 14761 Sodom Road, Niagara Falls
- 14785 Schauble Road, Welland
- 6625 Willow Road, Port Robinson
- 6541 Willow Road, Port Robinson
- 6409 Willow Road, Port Robinson
- 6113 Willow Road, Port Robinson
- 5981 Willow Road, Port Robinson 3400 Newgate Road, Port Robinson
- 7378 Durliat Road, Welland

1.3.1 Cont'd

Canadian Niagara Power Inc. (ED-2002-0572)

At the time of filing this application, Item1 of Schedule 1 of CNPI's distribution licence reads as follows:

1. The Town of Fort Erie as of December 31, 1990 as per the *Regional Municipality of Niagara Act*, R.S.O. 1990.

The proposed wording of Item1 of Schedule 1 in CNPI's amended licence is as follows:

- 1. The Town of Fort Erie as of December 31, 1990 as per the *Regional Municipality of Niagara Act*, R.S.O. 1990, including the customers located at the following physical addresses
 - 14761 Sodom Road, Niagara Falls
 - 14785 Schauble Road, Welland
 - 6625 Willow Road, Port Robinson
 - 6541 Willow Road, Port Robinson
 - 6409 Willow Road, Port Robinson
 - 6113 Willow Road, Port Robinson
 - 5981 Willow Road, Port Robinson
 - 3400 Newgate Road, Port Robinson
 - 7378 Durliat Road, Welland

excluding the customers located at the following physical addresses

- 3288 Montrose Road, Stevensville
- 3362 Montrose Road, Stevensville
- 3392 Montrose Road, Stevensville

1.3.2 Provide maps or diagrams of the area(s) that is the subject of the SAA application.

Please see Attachment 3 for maps relating to the customers proposed to be transferred from NPEI to CNPI.

Please see Attachment 4 for the map relating to the customers proposed to be transferred from CNPI to NPEI.

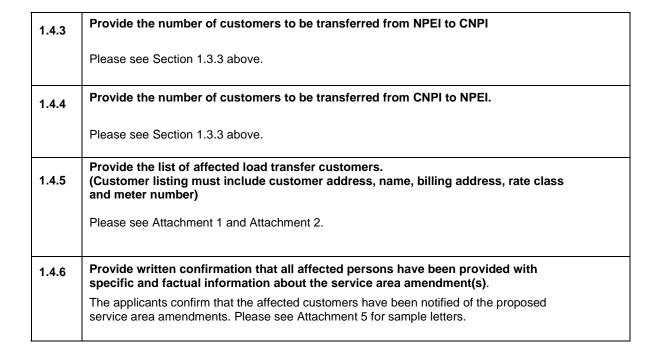
1.3.3 Provide a description of the type of physical connection(s); i.e., individual customer; residential subdivision, commercial or industrial customer.

Ten individual residential customers are proposed to be transferred from NPEI to CNPI. Details are provided in Attachment 1.

Three individual residential customers are proposed to be transferred from CNPI to NPEI. Details are provided in Attachment 2.

1.4 Information on Affected Load Transfer Customers

1.4.1	Provide the total number of Load Transfer Arrangements between distributors
	The following Load Transfer Arrangements currently exist between NPEI and CNPI:
	Ten customers of NPEI are supplied by CNPI. Three customer of CNPI are supplied by NPEI.
1.4.2	Provide the number of Load Transfer Arrangements eliminated in this application
	This application proposes to eliminate all of the load transfer arrangements between NPEI and CNPI listed in Section 1.4.1 above.



1.5 Impacts Arising from the Amendment(s)

Use the table below to describe the impact on the average residential customers' total bill that arises as a result of the service area amendment(s) before and after rate mitigation is applied. Use delivery charge on consumer's bill (including cost of losses and excluding all rate riders). Use 750 kWh / month for the average residential consumer. Provide any additional information as required.

For the customers transferring from NPEI to CNPI, Table 1 below shows the delivery impact on an average customer's total bill. Rate mitigation is addressed in Section 1.5.5 below.

Table 1:

Bill Impacts at Typical Consumption Levels for Customers Moving from NPEI (Rates Effective May 1, 2016) to CNPI (Rates Effective January 1, 2016)

	NPEI					Average			
Monthly Consumption (kWh)	Rate Class	Fixed Charge (\$)	Variable Charge (\$/kWh)*	Delivery Charge (\$)**	Rate Class	Fixed Charge (\$)	Variable Charge (\$/kWh)*	Delivery Charge (\$)**	Monthly Delivery Impact on Total Bill
750	RES	21.94	0.0144	46.49	RES	27.72	0.0125	51.32	4.83

^{*} Includes low voltage charge

For the customers transferring from CNPI to NPEI, Table 2 below shows the delivery impact on an average customer's total bill. The proposed transfer results in a reduction in delivery charges; therefore no rate mitigation is required for these customers.

Table 2:

Bill Impacts at Typical Consumption Levels for Customers Moving from CNPI (Rates Effective January 1, 2016) to NPEI (Rates Effective May 1, 2016)

	CNPI					NPEI				
Monthly Consumption (kWh)	Rate Class	Fixed Charge (\$)	Variable Charge (\$/kWh)*	Delivery Charge (\$)**	Rate Class	Fixed Charge (\$)	Variable Charge (\$/kWh)*	Delivery Charge (\$)**	Monthly Delivery Impact on Total Bill	
750	RES	27.72	.0125	51.32	RES	21.94	0.0144	46.49	(4.83)	

^{*} Includes low voltage charge

Provide a description of any assets which may be stranded or become redundant after completion of the service area amendment(s). Please explain why these assets could not be transferred to the physical distributor.

Upon approval of the service area amendment and transfer of customers, the existing meters will be replaced with meters belonging to the physical distributor.

^{**} Includes RTSR charges and cost of losses

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1.5.3	Identify costs for stranded equipment that would need to be de-energized or removed. The residual value of any meters that would not be reutilized is immaterial.
1.5.4	Identify any assets that will be transferred to and/or from the applicant(s). If an asset transfer is required, please complete Part II of the application form.
	For assets to be transferred from NPEI to CNPI, please see Attachment 1.
	For assets to be transferred from CNPI to NPEI, please see Attachment 2.

Include an estimate of the credit required for each customer to ensure there is not a negative impact on the total bill.

The residential customer moving from NPEI to CNPI will receive a monthly bill credit to offset the increase in delivery charges ¹. In accordance with the Ontario Energy Board's ("OEB") direction provided in "Amendments to the Distribution System Code" (EB-2015-0006), December 21, 2015, the credit will be calculated using each customer's average monthly consumption over the most recent 12 months at the time the application is filed for the OEB's approval. The credit will be fixed at this calculated level and remain in place as long as the customer remains the account holder.

The OEB has confirmed that a deferral account will be provided for the purpose of tracking the rate mitigation costs for future recovery.

Table 3 below provides the credit amount for the residential customers moving from NPEI to CNPI, which has been calculated using these customers' average monthly consumption, based on the most recent 12 months.

Table 3:

Credit Amount to Offset Increase in Delivery Charge for Customer Moving from NPEI (Rates Effective May 1, 2016) to CNPI (Rates Effective January 1, 2017)

	Average	Average NPEI		CN	IPI		
	Monthly		Delivery		Delivery		
	Consumption	Rate	Charge	Rate	Charge	Monthly	
Customer	(kWh)	Class	(\$)**	Class	(\$)**	Credit (\$)	
Customer #1	895	RES	51.23	RES	55.88	4.64	
Customer #2	734	RES	45.96	RES	50.81	4.85	
Customer #3	884	RES	50.87	RES	55.53	4.66	
Customer #4	584	RES	41.05	RES	46.09	5.04	
Customer #5	835	RES	49.27	RES	53.99	4.72	
Customer #6 (Vacant)	-	RES		RES		-	
Customer #7	662	RES	43.61	RES	48.55	4.94	
Customer #8	735	RES	46.00	RES	50.84	4.85	
Customer #9	482	RES	37.72	RES	42.88	5.17	
Customer #10	730	RES	45.83	RES	50.69	4.85	

^{**} Includes RTSR charges and cost of losses

CNPI requests approval to record the costs associated with the rate impact mitigation plan in Account 1508, Other Regulatory Assets, Sub-Account LTLT Rate Impact Mitigation. A draft accounting order is included as Attachment 6.

NPEI is not requesting a rate mitigation deferral account in this application, as the customers transferring from CNPI to NPEI will see a decrease in delivery charges.

¹ For the purpose of credit calculations, the delivery charge includes distribution charges, transmission charges and cost of losses, but excludes any rate riders as specified by the OEB in "Amendments to the Distribution System Code", Section C (File No.: EB-2015-0006), December 21, 2015.

PART II: TRANSFER OF ASSETS (S. 86(1)(b))

2.1 Description of the Assets to Be Transferred

2.1.1	Provide a description of the assets that are the subject of the transaction. (Attach a detailed list of assets to be sold including value of assets)							
	Please see Attachment 1 for a detailed listing of the assets to be sold to CNPI.							
	Please see Attachment 2 for a detailed listing of the assets to be sold to NPEI.							
2.1.2	Indicate where the assets are located – whether in the applicant's service territory or in the recipient's service territory (if applicable). Please include a map of the location.							
	The assets are located within the territory that that will be transferred from the geographical distributor to the physical distributor if the application is approved. Please see Attachment 3 and Attachment 4 for maps indicating the location of the assets.							
2.1.3	Indicate which distributor's customers are currently served by the assets. Currently, the assets are being used to service the geographical distributor's customers. Once the application is approved, the assets will continue to service the same customers they currently service. The customers will be transferred from the geographical distributor to the physical distributor.							

2.2 Description of the Sale Transaction

The value of the assets to be transferred shall be determined based on net book value (NBV). Attach the details of the associated cash consideration to be given and received by each of the parties to the transaction.
NPEI will sell the assets servicing the subject Geographical Customers to CNPI for \$11,091 plus applicable taxes. A detailed listing of the assets is included in Attachment 1.
CNPI will sell the assets servicing the subject Geographical Customers to NPEI for \$440 plus applicable taxes. A detailed listing of the assets is included in Attachment 2.
Will the transfer impact any other parties (e.g. joint users of poles) including any agreements with third parties? If yes, please specify how.
No third parties will be impacted by the proposed transfer.

PART III: CERTIFICATION AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Applicant (Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc.):

I certify that the information contained in this application and in the documents provided are true and accurate.

Signature of Key Individual

Name and Title of Key Individual

Suzanne Wilson

Vice-President, Finance

Date

(Must be signed by a key individual. A key individual is one that is responsible for executing the following functions for the applicant: matters related to regulatory requirements and conduct, financial matters and technical matters. These key individuals may include the chief executive officer, the chief financial officer, other officers, directors or proprietors.)

Co-Applicant (Canadian Niagara Power Inc.):

I certify that the information contained in this application and in the documents provided are true and accurate.

Signature of Key Individual

Name and Title of Key Individual

Glen King

Vice-President Finance & CFO

Date

(Must be signed by a key individual. A key individual is one that is responsible for executing the following functions for the applicant: matters related to regulatory requirements and conduct, financial matters and technical matters. These key individuals may include the chief executive officer, the chief financial officer, other officers, directors or proprietors.

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Attachment 1

Geographical Distributor (NPEI)

LTLT Customer and Asset Transfer Information

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Geographical Distributor LTLT Customer and Asset Transfer Information (NPEI)

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Map #	Primary Customer Name N	Number	Street	City	Postal Code	Meter ID No.	Classification Figure #	Geographical Distributor Rate Class
			Premise Address			Meter Information		
			Premise Address			ivieter information		
			Premise Address			weter information		
1		14761		NIAGARA FALLS	L2E 6S6	607283	Fig.2	Residential
1 2								
2		14785	SODOM RD	WELLAND	L2E 6S6	607283	Fig.6	Residential
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SCHAUBLE ROAD, WILLOW ROAD & NEWGATE ROAD

If many streets involved, provide names of all the streets.

Summary of Assets to be Sold by NPEI to CNPI

	Poles										
Quantity	Height	Age	Set	Residual Value	Total Asset Value						
7	35	>50	Earth Plus	\$0.00	\$0.00						
1	30	25	Earth Plus	\$526.00	\$526.00						
3	35	25	Earth Plus	\$539.00	\$1,617.00						
1	35	11	Earth Plus	\$844.00	\$844.00						
1	40	32	Earth Plus	\$470.00	\$470.00						
1	40	64	Earth Plus	\$0.00	\$0.00						
			Earth Plus		\$0.00						
14			_		\$3,457.00						

Primary and Neutral - Wire										
Location	Line Length (m)	# of Phases	Total Length (m)	Price/metre	Total Asset Value					
SHAUBLE RD, WILLOW RD & NEWGATE RD	1936	1	1936	\$3.00	\$5,808.00					
				\$3.00	\$0.00					
Totals	1936		1936		\$5,808.00					

Buss - Wire										
Location	# of Spans	Price/span	Total Asset Value							
		\$180.00	\$0.00							
		\$180.00	\$0.00							
		\$180.00	\$0.00							
Totals	0		\$0.00							

Secondary Services to Premise									
Location	Figure #	Price/Premise	Total Asset Value						
			\$0.00						
			\$0.00						
			\$0.00						
			\$0.00						
			\$0.00						
Totals			\$0.00						

Asset Notes	
NPEI owns primary wire and main line poles on	
Schauble Rd, Willow Rd and Newgate Rd.	

	Transformers										
Quantity	Age	Size (KVA)	Residual Value	Total Asset Value							
				\$0.00							
				\$0.00							
				\$0.00							
0				\$0.00							

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Summary of Assets to be Sold by NPEI to CNPI

Secondary U/G Wire (Metres)

	Figure #1	Figure #2	Figure #3	Figure #4	Figure #5	Figure #6	Figure #7	Figure #8	Figure #9	Figure #10	Figure #11	Figure #12	Figure #13	Figure #14	Figure #15
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O/H	20	70	20	70		50		50		63		63			
U/G	63		63		63		63		63		63				
Primary									20	20			20		20
Neutral									20	20			20		20
Subtotal	0	1	0	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total O/H	0	70	0	0	0	350	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total U/G	0	0	0	0	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Primary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Toal Buss (m)	60														

POLES	30	35	40	45	50	55	Total
Main Page	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Special Case #1	1	11	2				14
Special Case #2							0
Special Case #3							0
Special Case #4							0
Special Case #5							0
Special Case #6							0
Special Case #7							0
TOTAL	1	12	2	0	0	0	15

Transformers	5	10	15	25	30	37	50	75	100	167	225	Total	NOTE: Transformers from
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Special Case #2												0	
Special Case #3												0	
Special Case #4												0	
Special Case #5												0	
Special Case #6												0	
TOTAL	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Sentinel Lights (Total)	0		•				•	•	•		•	•	

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Poles	30	35	40	45	50	55	Total					
Poles	1	12	2	0	0	0	15					
Transformers	5	10	15	25	30	37	50	75	100	167	225	Total
	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Primary Wire (metres)	0											
Secondary O/H Wire (Metres)	480											

Total Asset V	Total Asset Values								
Poles	3,457								
Transformers	-								
Wire	7,148								
Secondary Bus	180								
Current Transformers	306								
Sentinel Lights	-								
Easments	-								
TOTAL	11,091								

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Attachment 2

Geographical Distributor (CNPI)

LTLT Customer and Asset Transfer Information

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Geographical Distributor LTLT Customer and Asset Transfer Information (CNPI)

Map #	Primary Customer Name	Number	Street	City	Postal Code	Meter ID No.	Classification Figure #	Geographical Distributor Rate Class
			Premise Addı	ress		Meter Information		
		3288	Montrose Rd	Stevensville		208650	Fig.4	Residential
		3362	Montrose Rd	Stevensville		208728		Residential
		3392	Montrose Rd	Stevensville		208730	Fig.7	Residential

Summary of Assets to be Sold by CNPI to NPEI

	Figure #1	Figure #2	Figure #3	Figure #4	Figure #5	Figure #6	Figure #7	Figure #8	Figure #9	Figure #10	Figure #11	Figure #12
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Special Case #1												
Special Case #2												
Special Case #3												
Special Case #4												
Special Case #5												
Special Case #6												
O/H	20	70	20	70		50		50		63		63
U/G	63		63		63		63		63		63	
Primary									20	20		
Neutral									20	20		
Subtotal	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Total O/H	0	0	0	70	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0
Total U/G	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	0	0	0	0	0
Total Primary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Toal Buss (m)	0					•		•	•	•		

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Special Case #2							0
Special Case #3							0
Special Case #4							0
Special Case #5							0
Special Case #6							0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Transformers	5	10	15	25	50	75	100	167	Total
Main Page	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Case #1									0
Special Case #2									0
Special Case #3									0
Special Case #4									0
Special Case #5									0
Special Case #6									0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sentinel Lights (Total)	0								

ASSET SUMMARY

Total

Total

Poles	30
roles	0
Transformers	5
Transformers	0
Primary Wire (metres)	0
Secondary O/H Wire (Metres)	120
Secondary U/G Wire (Metres)	63
Current Transformers	0
Sentinel Lights	0
Easements	0

Total Asset	Values
Poles	-
Transformers	-
Wire	440
Secondary Bus	-
Current Transformers	=
Sentinel Lights	=
Easments	-
TOTAL	440

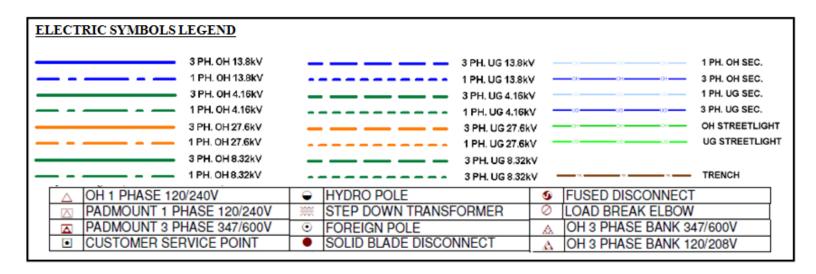
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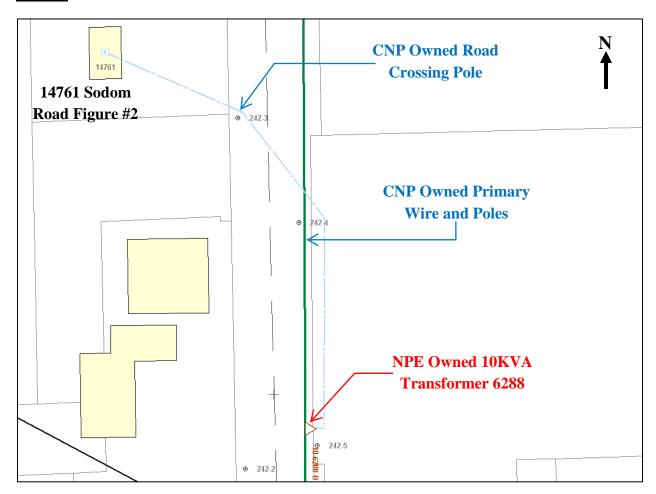
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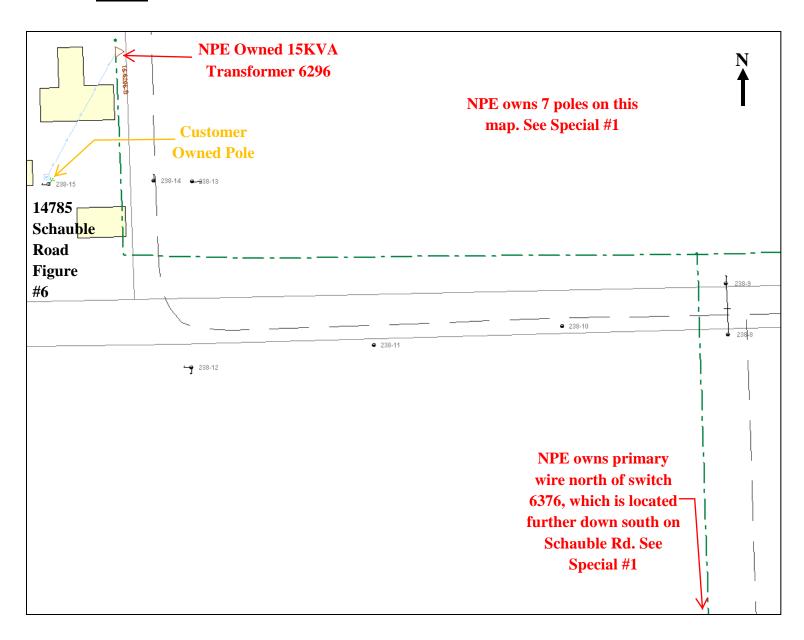
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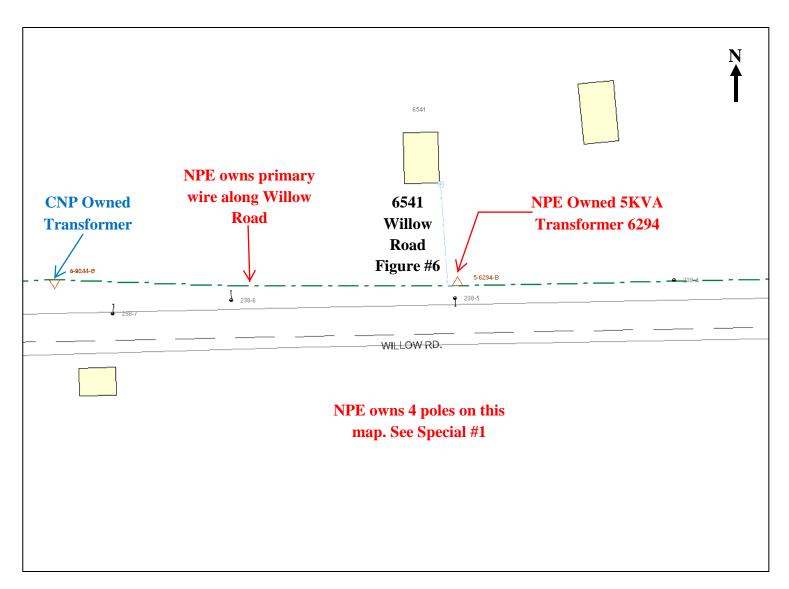
LTLT Maps

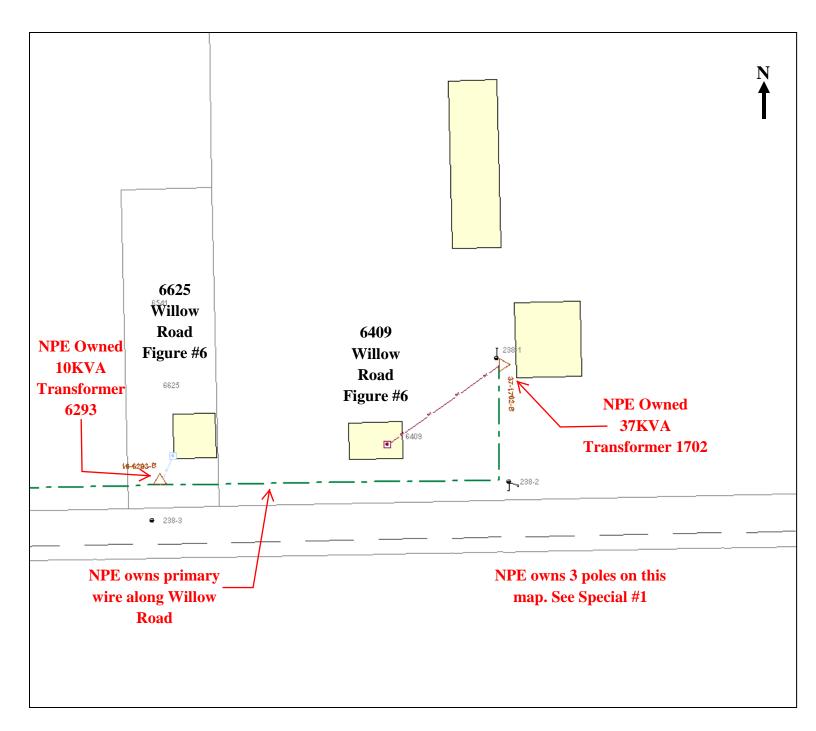
Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. (NPEI) Geographical LDC Maps for LTLT Elimination with Canadian Niagara Power (CNP) as Physical LDC

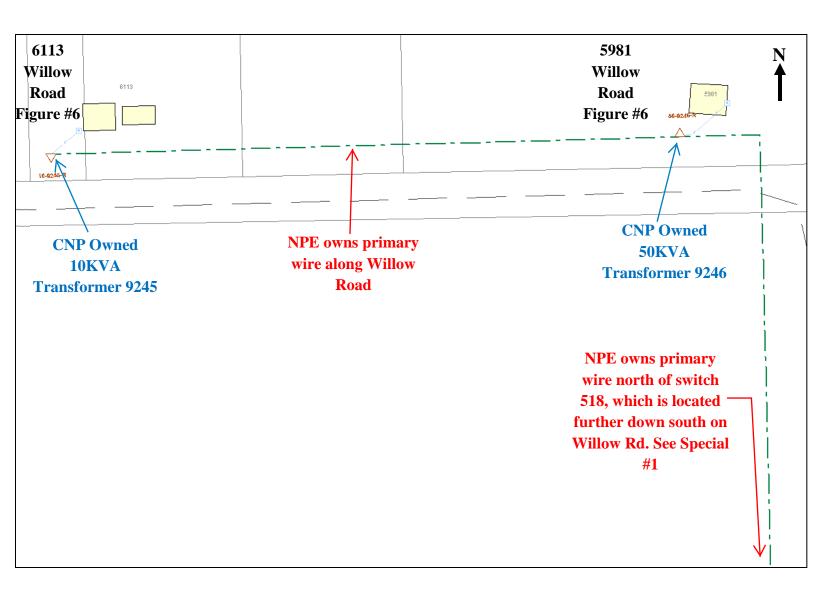


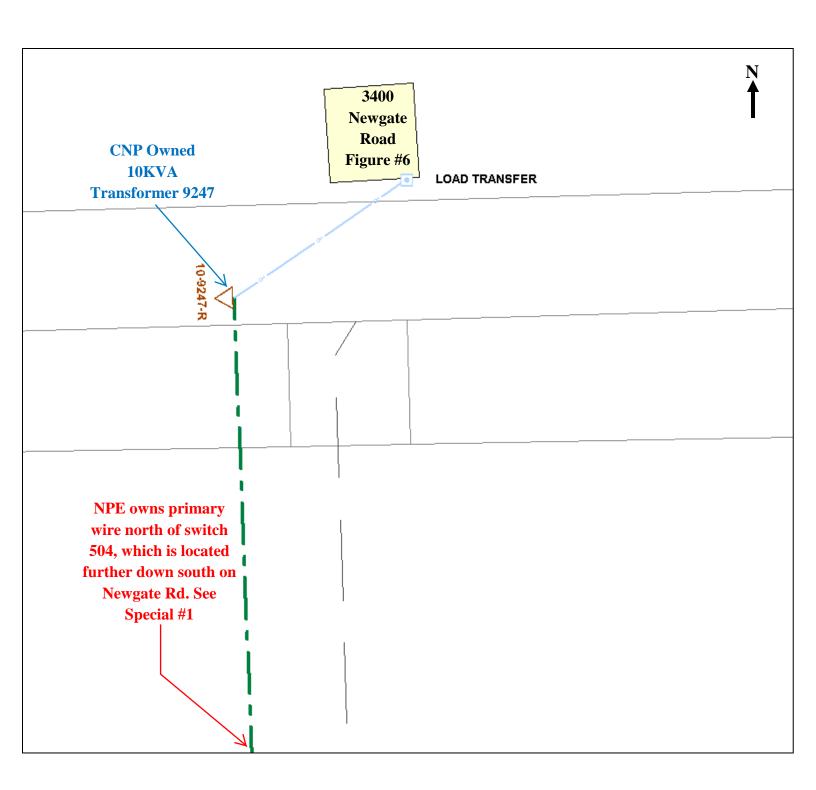


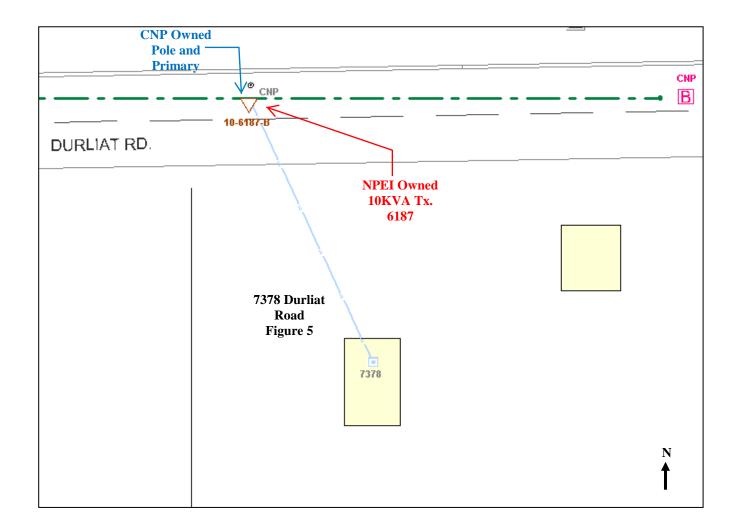












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Geographical Distributor (CNPI)

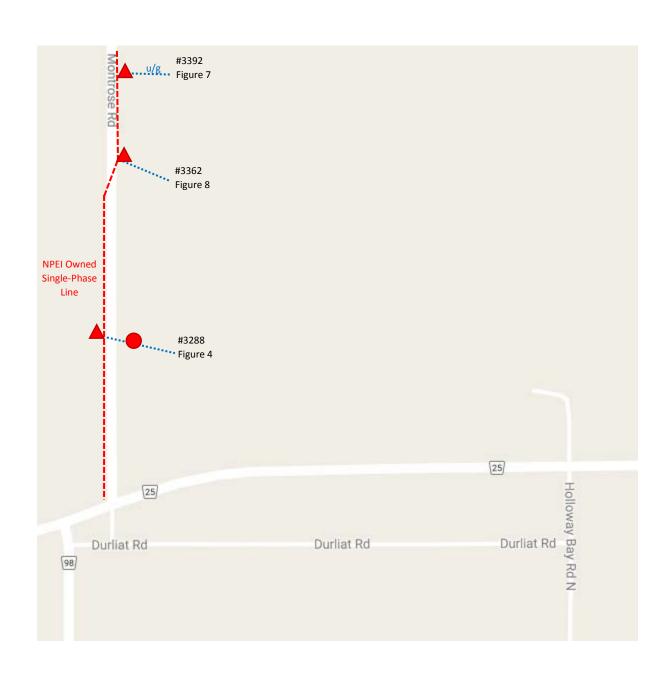
LTLT Maps

Canadian Niagara Power Map for LTLT Elimination with

Niagara Peninsula Energy as Physical LDC

Legend

 NPEI Single-Phase Primary				
NPEI Transformer				
 Secondary				
NPEI Pole (main line poles not shown for clarity)				



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Attachment 5

Sample Customer Letters

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Sample Customer Letter – NPEI Customer

YOU WILL SOON BE SERVED BY A NEW ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTOR

Dear valued customer:

We are writing to let you know you will be served by a new electricity distributor. While you are currently a customer of Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. and charged Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc.'s distribution rates, your electricity is provided to you by Canadian Niagara Power Inc. Pending the Ontario Energy Board's (OEB) approval, Canadian Niagara Power Inc. will become your electricity distributor in the near future. We expect this change to take place in approximately [xxx] weeks.

What This Means To You

We are making this change to serve you better.

It is more cost-effective and efficient for all electricity consumers to have the same distributor deliver electricity to your [home/business] and provide you with customer service. For example, if your power goes out, you will now be contacting Canadian Niagara Power Inc. – the distributor that has control over when the power will be restored. Once this transfer is complete, Canadian Niagara Power Inc. will be responsible for delivering electricity to you, reading your smart meters, issuing your monthly bills and providing you with quality customer service.

Canadian Niagara Power Inc. will ensure the delivery of electricity to your [home/business] is not affected in any way, due to this transfer. As this transfer results in a higher electricity delivery charge, the increase will be offset by a credit applied by Canadian Niagara Power Inc. on your bill as long as you remain the account holder.

In the next weeks ahead, you will receive the following notifications from us:

- Notification of the meter change that effectively moves your service from Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. to your new electricity distributor Canadian Niagara Power Inc.
- Regular billing between time of notification and the last reading, at which time the meter change occurs.
- Final Bill which will include your last reading from Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. concluding service. Please note that account balances will not be transferred to your new electricity distributor. Balances should be paid to the distributor which has rendered the bill.

Please do not hesitate to contact [name of person] at Niagara Peninsula Energy Inc. at [phone number], if you have any questions or concerns.

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Attachment 6

CNPI Draft Accounting Order

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Canadian Niagara Power Inc. Draft Accounting Order

Account 1508 Other Regulatory Assets – Sub-account LTLT Rate Impact Mitigation Deferral Account

Canadian Niagara Power Inc. shall establish this new deferral account effective May 4, 2017 to record costs associated with lost revenue resulting from the rate impact mitigation plan associated with the transfer of long term load transfer customers and any costs involved in the set-up of such a plan.

The disposition of the deferral account will be subject to an OEB determination of prudence.

The accounting entries to be recorded are as follows:

USoA#	Account Description
Dr: 1508	Other Regulatory Assets – Sub account LTLT Rate Impact Mitigation Deferral
Cr: 1100	Customer Accounts Receivable

To record the lost revenue resulting from the rate impact mitigation plan.

USoA#	Account Description
Dr: 1508	Other Regulatory Assets – Sub account LTLT Rate Impact Mitigation Deferral
Cr: 4405	Interest and Dividend Income

To record carrying charges on the principal balance of the "LTLT Rate Impact Mitigation Deferral Account"