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**VIA COURIER and RESS FILING**

Ms. Kirstin Walli  
Board Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
P.O. Box 2319  
2300 Yonge Street, 27<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

**Dear Ms. Walli,**

**Re: Hydro One 2018-2022 Distribution Rates Application (EB-2017-0049)**

We are retained to act as counsel to the Power Workers' Union.

By way of this letter, the Power Workers' Union (PWU) is requesting intervenor status in the Board's proceedings with respect to the above-noted application.

The PWU represents a large portion of the employees working in Ontario's electricity industry and has utmost interest in regulatory proceedings that impact the provision of electricity service adequacy, reliability and safety to customers. Attached please find a list of PWU employers.

The PWU intends to be a full-time intervenor and will participate in all aspects of the hearing. The PWU's concern is Hydro One's ongoing ability to maintain and invest in its assets in a manner that ensures their long term reliable and safe operation, as well as the safety of Hydro One employees.

The PWU has retained Richard Stephenson of Paliare Roland for legal representation and Bayu Kidane, Andrew Blair and Kim McKenzie of Elenchus Research Associates as consultants in this proceeding. Please provide copies of all communications with regard to the PWU's participation to:

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In addition to electronic copies of evidence and communications, please provide one hard copy of the Application and any other supporting materials to Kim McKenzie, and one hard copy to counsel, Richard Stephenson.

The Power Workers' Union will not be seeking costs in respect of this proceeding.

Yours very truly,

**PALIARE ROLAND ROSENBERG ROTHSTEIN LLP**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'R. Stephenson', written over the printed name.

Richard P. Stephenson  
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**List of PWU Employers**

Algoma Power  
 AMEC Nuclear Safety Solutions  
 Atlantic Power Corporation - Calstock Power Plant  
 Atlantic Power Corporation - Kapuskasing Power Plant  
 Atlantic Power Corporation - Nipigon Power Plant  
 BPC District Energy Investments Limited Partnership  
 Brant County Power Incorporated  
 Brighton Beach Power Limited  
 Brookfield Power Wind Operations  
 Brookfield Renewable Power - Mississagi Power Trust  
 Bruce Power Inc.  
 Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (AECL Chalk River)  
 Cogeco Peer 1  
 Compass Group Corporation of the County of Brant  
 Covanta Durham York Renewable Energy Ltd.  
 Entegrus  
 Erie Thames Powerlines  
 Erth Corporation  
 Ethos Energy Inc.  
 Great Lakes Power (Generation)  
 Great Lakes Power Transmission  
 Grimsby Power Incorporated  
 Halton Hills Hydro Inc.  
 Hydro One Inc.  
 Independent Electricity System Operator  
 Inergi LP  
 InnPower (Innisfil Hydro Distribution Systems Limited)  
 Kenora Hydro Electric Corporation Ltd.  
 Kinectrics Inc.  
 Kitchener-Wilmot Hydro Inc.  
 Lake Superior Power Inc. (A Brookfield Company)  
 London Hydro Corporation  
 Milton Hydro Distribution Inc.  
 New Horizon System Solutions  
 Newmarket Hydro Ltd.  
 Norfolk Power Distribution Inc.  
 Nuclear Waste Management Organization  
 Nuvia Canada  
 Ontario Power Generation Inc.  
 Orangeville Hydro Limited  
 Portlands Energy Centre  
 PowerStream  
 PUC Services  
 Rogers Communications (Kincardine Cable TV Ltd.)  
 Sioux Lookout Hydro Inc.  
 SouthWestern Energy  
 The Electrical Safety Authority  
 Toronto Hydro  
 TransAlta Generation Partnership O.H.S.C.  
 Westario Power  
 Whitby Hydro Energy Services Corporation