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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
Suite 2701
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: E.L.K. Energy Inc. ("E.L.K.")
OEB File No.: EB-2016-0066
Settlement Proposal Delay**

We are counsel to E.L.K. in the above captioned matter. Pursuant to Procedural Order No. 2, the Board ordered that any settlement proposal arising from the settlement conference shall be filed with the OEB by June 1, 2017.

We are writing to inform the Board that the parties continue to work diligently towards a possible settlement, however it has become apparent that the parties will not meet the June 1, 2017 deadline. E.L.K. respectfully requests an extension to this requirement. The parties will continue to work diligently through the remaining issues to finalize any possible settlement early next week. E.L.K. will undertake to file any settlement proposal arising from the settlement conference on or before June 15, 2017.

Yours very truly,

BORDEN LADNER GERVAIS LLP

Per:

Original signed by John A.D. Vellone

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cc: Parties to EB-2016-0066