



BY EMAIL AND COURIER

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
P.O. Box 2319
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: File Number EB-2017-0049 - Hydro One Networks Inc. - Application for 2018-2022
Distribution Rates (the "Application")
Shaw Communications Inc. ("Shaw") - Request for Intervenor Status**

Shaw seeks intervenor status in the proceeding to address Hydro One's request in the Application for an increase in its wireline pole attachment rate.

Shaw a telecommunications carrier that has wireline communications attachments on Hydro One's poles and therefore is required to pay the pole attachment rate approved by the Ontario Energy Board. As such, Shaw has a substantial interest in this aspect of the Application and seeks intervenor status to participate in the proceeding with respect to the Board's determination of the pole attachment rate.

Shaw reserves the right to participate in all aspects of the process that the Board may order, to the extent these processes relate to the pole attachment rate.

Shaw believes that it is premature to make a determination on whether an oral hearing is appropriate for this matter.

Shaw requests that further correspondence with respect to this matter be sent to:

Christopher Ewasiuk
Director, Access Regulatory Affairs
Shaw Communications Inc.
861 Cloverdale Avenue
Victoria BC V8X 4S7
E: Christopher.Ewasiuk2@sjrb.ca

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Ewasiuk", written over a light blue horizontal line.

For: Christopher Ewasiuk
Director, Access Regulatory Affairs