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Kirsten Walli

Board Secretary

Ontario Energy Board

P.O. Box 2319

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Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: File Number EB-2017-0049 - Hydro One Networks Inc. - Application for 2018-2022 Distribution Rates (the “Application”)

Subject: **Request for Intervenor Status**

By way of this letter, the Canadian Cable Systems Alliance, Inc. (“CCSA”) seeks intervenor status in the proceeding to address Hydro One’s request in the Application for an increase in its wireline pole attachment rate (the “Pole Rate”).

CCSA is a national association that represents its member companies, a number of whom are telecommunications carriers and broadcasting distribution undertakings that have wireline communications attachments on Hydro One’s poles and therefore are required to pay the Pole Rate approved by the Board.

As such, CCSA 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 Rate.

CCSA 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 Rate.

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

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

Chris Edwards, Vice-President Corporate & Regulatory Affairs

Canadian Cable Systems Alliance, Inc.

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Sincerely,



Christopher J. Edwards

Vice-President, Corporate & Regulatory Affairs

cc: Regulatory@HydroOne.com

**Appendix**

**CCSA Member Companies with Systems in Ontario**

Astrocom Cablevision Inc.

Beanfield Technologies Inc.

Black Creek Cable TV Inc.

Bragg Communications Inc.

Brooke Telecom Co-op Ltd.

Bruce Telecom

Cable Cable Inc.

Cochrane Telecom Services

Constance Lake First Nation

Execulink Telecom Inc.

Gosfield North Communications

Hastings Cable Vision Limited

Hay Communications Coop Ltd.

Huron Telecommunications Coop Ltd.

Lansdowne Rural Telephone Company (New Member)

Markdale Cable TV

Mitchell Seaforth Cable TV Ltd.

Mocreebec Development Corp. Ltd.

Moose Factory Cable Inc.

Mornington Communications Coop Ltd.

Nexicom Communications Inc.

Nor-Del Cablevision Ltd.

North Frontenac Telephone Corporation Ltd.

NRTC Communications

Tbaytel

Total Cable Service

Tuckersmith Communications Coop Ltd.

VMedia

Wightman Communications Ltd.

WTC Communications