Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario



EB-2016-0105

Thunder Bay Hydro Electricity Distribution Inc.

Application for electricity distribution rates beginning May 1, 2017

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 6 July 4, 2017

Thunder Bay Hydro Electricity Distribution Inc. (Thunder Bay Hydro) filed a cost of service application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on September 9, 2016 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, *1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes to the rates that Thunder Bay Hydro charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2017.

On April 27, 2017, Thunder Bay Hydro filed a revised settlement proposal with the OEB, which proposed a partial settlement of some of the issues in this proceeding. On May 4, 2017, the OEB issued its Decision on Settlement Proposal and Procedural Order No. 5, which accepted the revised settlement proposal and established that an oral hearing on the remaining unsettled issues would commence on June 29, 2017.

The hearing of the unsettled issues was held on June 29 and June 30, 2017. At that time, the OEB established the schedule set out below for the filing of argument in this proceeding.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

1. Thunder Bay Hydro shall file its Argument-in-Chief on the unsettled issues with the OEB and forward it to all parties on or before July 5, 2017.

- 2. OEB staff and intervenors shall file any submissions on the unsettled issues with the OEB and forward them to all parties on or before July 14, 2017.
- 3. Thunder Bay Hydro shall file its reply submission with the OEB and forward it to all parties on or before July 28, 2017.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, EB-2016-0105, be made in searchable / unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at <u>https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/</u>. Two paper copies must also be filed at the OEB's address provided below. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <u>http://www.oeb.ca/Industry</u>. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Martin Davies at <u>martin.davies@oeb.ca</u> and OEB Counsel, Jennifer Lea at <u>jennifer.lea@oeb.ca</u>.

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DATED at Toronto, July 4, 2017

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