



Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

June 21 2017

Dear Ms. Walli:

RE: EB-2015-0006 - Thunder Bay Hydro Electricity Distribution Inc.

Delay in Filing- Application to the Ontario Energy Board for Load Transfer Elimination Application(s)

On December 21, 2015 the Ontario Energy Board ("the OEB") issued a notice of amendments to the Distribution System Code (EB-2015-0006), related to the Elimination of Load Transfer Arrangements between electricity distributors and the amended Distribution System Code accordingly. As per section 6.5.3, all electricity distributors are required to eliminate all load transfer arrangements by June 21 2017.

Thunder Bay Hydro has been working diligently on its Application for Load Transfer Elimination and takes very seriously the importance of adhering to the Board's filing requirements and deadlines.

Regrettably, Thunder Bay Hydro will not meet the June 21st 2017 filing deadline. The delay for Thunder Bay Hydro's submission of the Load Transfer Elimination plan has developed due to a limited number customer driven concerns which Thunder Bay Hydro is working closely with its counter parts at Hydro One to address.

Thunder Bay Hydro anticipates that it will be in a position to file its completed Application on $\underline{\text{or before}}$ August 31st 2017.

Regards,

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