



April 13, 2017

Ms. Kirsten Walli
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Re: EB-2016-0356 Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie LP, 2017 Transmission Rate Application
AMPCO Interrogatories

Dear Ms. Walli:

Attached please find AMPCO's interrogatories in the above proceeding.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Sincerely yours,

(ORIGINAL SIGNED BY)

Colin Anderson
President
Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario

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**Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie LP (formerly Great Lakes Power Transmission LP (GLPT))
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1-AMPCO-1

Ref: Ex 1 T1 S1 Page 2

Preamble: H1SSM is requesting an accounting order to establish a sub-account within deferral account 1574 to record revenue deficiencies incurred from January 1, 2017 until H1SSM's proposed 2017 rates are implemented.

- a) Please provide the revenue deficiency resulting from a 6-month delay in implementing rates.

1-AMPCO-2

Ref: Ex 1 T1 S2 Page 4

Preamble: GLPT has historically developed annual key performance indicators (KPIs) for business performance measurement.

- a) Please provide a complete list of GLPT's historical KPIs.
- b) Please provide GLPT's historical targets and actuals for each KPI for the years 2011 to 2016.
- c) Based on the results in part (b), please explain any significant trends in the data.
- d) Please provide targets for each KPI for 2017 and 2018.

1-AMPCO-3

Ref: Ex 1 T1 S2 Page 4

- a) Please provide GLPT's goals and objectives for 2017 and 2018.

2-AMPCO-4

Ref: Ex 1 T1 S2 Page 4

Preamble: GLPT does not expect any significant operational integration steps or savings to occur during 2017 or 2018 and submits under this premise the annual adjustment is appropriate.

- a) On what basis has GLPT determined that no significant savings are expected in 2017 or 2018?
- b) Does GLPT anticipate any operating or capital savings in 2017 and 2018 not related to operational integration steps? If yes, please describe and quantify.

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3-AMPCO-5

Ref: Ex 3 T1 S2 Page 4

Preamble: GLPT indicates a number of KPIs tracked and measured by GLPT are consistent with the metrics that GLPT has introduced in its proposed scorecard.

- a) Please provide the specific KPIs that correspond to a metric on the scorecard at Ex 3 T 1 S2 Appendix A.

3-AMPCO-6

Ref: Ex 3 T1 S2 Appendix A

- a) Please provide the number of delivery points for the years 2011 to 2016.

4-AMPCO-7

Ref: Ex 4 T1 S4 Page 1

- a) Did 1QC collect and/or analyze capital data from GLPT and the peer group? If yes, please provide the analysis.

4-AMPCO-8

Ref: Ex 4 T1 S4 Appendix A

- a) Please complete the following Table with GLPT data:

| | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Transmission Lines & Substations O&M \$ | | | | | | |
| A&G \$ | | | | | | |
| Gross Asset \$ | | | | | | |
| Circuit Km | | | | | | |
| Customer | | | | | | |

4-AMPCO-9

Ref: Ex 4 T1 S4 Appendix A Page 8

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a) Please add the demographics of GLPT to the table at Appendix B.

4-AMPCO-10

Ref: OEB Filing Requirements For Electricity Transmission Applications Chapter 2, February 11, 2016,
Page 5

Preamble: Under basic components of Revenue Cap index applications related to Benchmarking, the Filing Requirements indicate that both internal benchmarking (against own cost performance over time to demonstrate continuous improvement) and external benchmarking (against other transmitters), including rationale for selected comparators, is required.

- a) Please discuss which costs GLPT tracks/measures to benchmark its own internal cost performance over time. Please provide the data for the years 2013 to 2016.
- b) Please provide GLPT's Total Costs and Gross Assets for the years 2013 to 2016.