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Subject: File No. EB-2016-0268

Ontario Energy Board

Attn: Board Secretary,

I am contacting the Board in regard to the above noted file to advise the Board that "new" correspondence has been discovered regarding the above noted file. The correspondence can be found at the following link:

<https://princeedwardcounty.civicweb.net/FileStorage/3BBA56FCF1EA4AE2B06930ADCEE65DD6-Commencement%20of%20Works.pdf>

In the letter dated July 31, 2017 from the proponent to the Corporation of the County of Prince Edward the proponent in this file has noted "It is the intention of wpd White Pines to commence works, as detailed in the aforementioned drawings, on the Project as of September 10, 2017.". The 'aforementioned drawings' referenced by the proponent in their July 31st letter appear to include the interconnection lines which are the subject of EB-2016-0268.

The information in the proponent's July 31st correspondence to Prince Edward County appears to be in direct contrast to the information provided the following day (August 1, 2017) to the OEB; and which is posted on the OEB's web site for this file. This conflicting information leads one to question the intention of the proponent as it relates to commencement of construction of the interconnection lines.

As I remain concerned about the reliability and quality of electricity service in Prince Edward County as this service area continues to be subjected to frequent and lengthy power disruptions, with yet another service disruption occurring on August 22nd, I am concerned that the proponent in this project will commence with their interconnection line work without the Board undertaking a thorough review and assessment of the amended (9 turbine) project. Therefore, I am respectfully requesting the Ontario Energy Board to intervene in this matter and take action to stop the White Pines' transmission facilities from proceeding to construction until such time as the Board has given full and proper consideration to all potential impacts of the (amended and approved) 9 turbine White Pines' project upon the integrated power system servicing Prince Edward County.

Please note that with conflicting information being provided by the proponent; and without the OEB's endorsement of the 9 turbine project, I consider there to be substantial risk to the integrated power system servicing Prince Edward County so I have copied the Honourable Minister of Energy with this message so that he and his office are aware of the issues and risks regarding the Leave to Construct currently in place for this White Pines project.

Would you kindly provide me with an acknowledgement of receipt of this correspondence. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Ray Ford
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