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Ontario Energy Board  
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**Attention: Ms Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary**

Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd. and Midland Power Utility Corporation application under section 86 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* and application for other related relief**

**School Energy Coalition (“SEC”) intervenor status request and timing of proceeding**

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We are counsel to Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd. (“NTP”) in the above-noted application.

This letter is in regards to a request for intervenor status filed by SEC on September 28, 2017. NTP takes no position on SEC’s late request for intervenor status except to note that SEC has given no reasons as to why the request is late.<sup>1</sup>

More importantly, NTP requests that the Board proceed on the schedule originally planned for this proceeding and that SEC’s late intervention request not cause any delay.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have any questions in relation to the foregoing.

Sincerely,

*Signed in the original*

George Vegh

cc. J. Mark Rodger, counsel to Midland Power Utility Corporation

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<sup>1</sup> The deadline to request intervenor status in this proceeding was September 18, 2017. SEC’s request is therefore 10 days late. Pursuant to s. 22.05 of the Board’s *Rules of Practice and Procedure*, “A person may apply for intervenor status after the time limit directed by the Board by filing and serving a notice of motion and a letter of intervention that, in addition to the information required under Rule 22.03, shall include reasons for the late application.”