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VIA email and RSS Filing

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge St. Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Re: EB-2017-0150 Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) 2017 Expenditure and Revenue Requirement Submission The Society of Energy Professionals' Submission re:Unsettled Issues

Dear Ms. Walli,

On October 3rd, the IESO filed with the OEB a settlement proposal in which parties reached a settlement of all issues in the subject proceeding, with the exception of Issues 4.4 and 5.1 ("Unsettled Issues"). As outlined in the proposal, no agreement has been reached on whether to proceed by way of an oral or written hearing on the Unsettled Issues; so parties have agreed to file written submissions on this with the OEB by Thursday, October 5, 2017. This is The Society of Energy Professionals' (The Society's) submission on this matter.

The Society is of the view that it is appropriate to proceed by way of a written hearing for the Unsettled Issues as there is an adequate level of evidence on the record for parties to respond to as well as for the OEB to be able to make an informed decision.

Thank you.

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