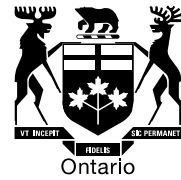


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Dear Ms. Welsh:

**Re: Orillia Power Distribution Corporation  
Application for Rates  
OEB File Number EB-2017-0264**

This will acknowledge receipt on October 16, 2017 of your 2018 IRM rate application. The OEB has assigned File Number EB-2017-0264 to this matter. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the OEB regarding this matter. All information related to this matter must be filed with the Board Secretary.

The OEB is currently conducting a preliminary review of your application. Upon completion of this review the OEB will communicate the next steps in the process.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Katherine Wang, Advisor at 416-440-7619 or [Katherine.Wang@oeb.ca](mailto:Katherine.Wang@oeb.ca).

Yours truly,

*Original Signed By*

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