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EB-2017-0345

October 31, 2017

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**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

**Re: Application for an Electricity Wholesaler Licence**

Dear Mrs Walli,

1. Please find enclosed NorthernTel Limited Partnership's (NorthernTel) application for an Electricity Wholesaler Licence.
2. NorthernTel is filing this application following the acquisition and amalgamation of O.N.Tel Inc.
3. Since NorthernTel is now the operating entity responsible for the territory served by O.N.Tel Inc. and that O.N.Tel Inc.'s former licence expired on March 3, 2016, we apply for the same territory and authorizations that were part of O.N. Tel Inc. licence EW-2010-0375.
4. We enclose the following documents:
  - a. OEB Electricity Wholesaler Licence application form;
  - b. A cheque for the non-refundable application fee ( \$ 1 000);
  - c. A corporate organization chart;
  - d. A certificate relating to authority to file applications; and
  - e. Financial documents, including a Parental Guarantee in support of the application.
5. We remain available to answer any questions related to the enclosed application

Yours truly,

*( Original signed by M. Gilbert )*

Michel Gilbert  
Senior Specialist – Regulatory Affairs

Attachments

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## Application for an Electricity Wholesaler Licence

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD or Office Use Only	
Application Number	EB-2017-0345
Date Received	Nov. 9/17

### 1. The Applicant

Legal Name of the Applicant : NorthernTel Limited Partnership

Business Classification:

☐ Sole Proprietor

☒ Partnership

☐ Corporation

☐ Other (describe) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of formation or incorporation: April 23, 2002

Place of formation or incorporation:

Province/State Québec

Country Canada

If the applicant is an individual, the applicant must be at least 18 years old. If the applicant is an individual, is he or she at least 18 years old?

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Not Applicable - not an individual

Head Office or Business Address of Applicant

A-7-1 Carrefour Alexander-Graham-Bell

City	Province/State	Country	Postal/Zip Code
<u>Verdun</u>	<u>Québec</u>	<u>Canada</u>	<u>H3E 3B3</u>

Phone Number	Toll Free (if available)	E-mail Address
<u>613-785-6286</u>		<u>philippe.gauvin@bell.ca</u>

Website Address

## 2. Application Type

☒ New

☐ Renewal, provide the licence number and expiry date of the current licence.

Licence Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Licence Primary Contact

The licensee shall designate a person who will act as primary contact with the OEB on matters related to the licence.

Mr. <input checked="" type="radio"/>	Mrs. <input type="radio"/>	Last Name	First Name	Initial
Miss <input type="radio"/>	Ms. <input type="radio"/>	Vierich	Bernhard	
Other <input type="radio"/>		Title/Position		
		Senior Manager, Network & Operations		
		Company Name		
		NorthernTel, Limited Partnership		

Licence Primary Contact Address:

P.O. Box 628			
City	Province/State	Country	Postal/Zip Code
North Bay	Ontario	Canada	P1B 2J6
Phone Number	Toll Free (if available)	E-mail Address	
705-490-3337		bernie.vierich@ontera.ca	

## 4. Application Primary Contact

☐ Indicate if same as above. Proceed to section 5.

The primary contact for the licence application may be a person within the applicant's organization other than the licence primary contact noted above. An applicant may also choose to designate a consultant, lawyer, etc. to be the primary contact for the licence application. The OEB will communicate with this person during the course of the application review process but with the licence primary contact after a licence is issued.

Mr. <input checked="" type="radio"/>	Mrs. <input type="radio"/>	Last Name	First Name	Initial
Miss <input type="radio"/>	Ms. <input type="radio"/>	Michel	Gilbert	
Other <input type="radio"/>		Title/Position		
		Senior Specialist Regulatory Affairs		
		Company Name		
		NorthernTel Limited Partnership		

Application Primary Contact Address:			
c/o Nicole Fournier - 160 Elgin 19th Fl.			
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## 5. Trade Names

The electricity wholesaler licence authorizes the licensee to conduct business using the name under which the licence is held (i.e. the applicant's legal name). It also provides for the use of trade names by the licensee.

Does the applicant intend to use trade names?

- ☒ Yes, provide a list of trade names the applicant intends to use in the space provided below.
- ☐ No, proceed to section 6.

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## 6. Applicant's Licensing Status and History

(a) Has the applicant, an affiliate of the applicant, or an associated entity (e.g., a partnership or limited partnership), ever been licensed by the OEB? (The *Business Corporations Act* definition for affiliate can be found at [www.e-laws.gov.on.ca](http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca))

- ☒ Yes, provide details of current and expired licences in the table below.
- ☐ No, proceed to 6(b).

Licensee Name	Relation to the Applicant (e.g., applicant itself, affiliate, partner...etc.)	Licence Number
O.N.Tel inc.	Affiliate	EW2010-0375

(b) Does the applicant, an affiliate of the applicant, or an associated entity have any other application(s) before the OEB?

☐ Yes, provide details in the table below.

☒ No, proceed to 6(c).

Applicant Name	Relationship to this Applicant	Type of Application	OEB File Number

(c) Has the applicant, an affiliate of the applicant, or an associated entity ever undertaken energy sector activity in any other jurisdiction within North America?

☐ Yes, provide details in the table below.

☒ No

Company Name	Relation to the Applicant	Jurisdiction	Business Activity	Name of Licensing Body and Licence/Registration No. (if applicable)

## 7. Key Individuals

In the table below, identify the key individuals that are responsible for executing the following functions for the applicant: matters related to regulatory requirements and conduct, financial matters, and technical matters. Key individuals include the Chief Executive Officer, the Chief Financial Officer, other officers and directors, partners or proprietors.

Name of Key Individual	Title/Position within Applicant's Business (or identify company if not the Applicant's Business)
Philippe Gauvin	Senior Legal Counsel
Tanya Maurice	Director - Finance
Bernhard Vierich	Senior Manager - Network & Operations

## 8. Intended Markets and Services

Identify the applicant's intended markets and services. Select any that apply.

- ☒ To purchase electricity or ancillary services in the IESO-administered markets.
- ☐ To purchase electricity or ancillary services directly from a generator.
- ☐ To sell electricity or ancillary services in the IESO-administered markets.
- ☐ To sell electricity or ancillary services to wholesalers.
- ☐ To sell electricity or ancillary services to distributors (i.e., standard supply services).
- ☐ To sell electricity or ancillary services to electricity retailers.
- ☐ To sell electricity or ancillary services to persons outside of the Ontario market.
- ☐ To sell electricity to consumers, defined as a person who uses for the person's own consumption, electricity that the person did not generate. If the applicant selects this item, the applicant may require a retailer licence. The application form can be found at [www.ontarioenergyboard.ca](http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca).