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Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd.

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Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street P.O. Box 2319 Suite 2700 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Attention: Ms. Kirsten Walli **Board Secretary**

Dear Ms. Walli:

Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd. Re:

2018 IRM Distribution Rate Application, OEB Case No. EB-2017-0062

Applicant Responses to OEB Staff Interrogatories

Please find enclosed Newmarket – Tay Power Distribution Ltd. responses to Board Staff Interrogatories of March 16, 2018 in this matter.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

[Original Signed By]

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OEB STAFF QUESTION #1

References: Decision and Rate Order, March 31, 2017, EB-2016-0275

In the Decision and Rate Order referenced above, Newmarket-Tay Power received approval to dispose of a \$6,382,286 balance in Account 1576. Due to an error in its calculation of the approved rate riders, approximately only 50% of the balance was disposed of.

In relation to the approved disposition in 2017, please provide an estimate of the residual amount in Account 1576 as of April 30, 2018.

The estimated residual amount in Account 1576 relating to the approved disposition in 2017 as of April 30, 2018 is \$3,353,748.

OEB STAFF QUESTION #2

Reference: Table A, B, C and D

Please provide the Microsoft Excel file used to calculate the proposed 1576 rate riders.

NT Power has filed the Microsoft Excel file for the proposed Account 1576 rate riders.

OEB STAFF QUESTION #3

References: EB-2016-0275 – Response to Interrogatories

In the above noted reference, Newmarket-Tay Power indicated that they intend to file a cost of service (CoS) application for 2020 rates.

i. If the intended date to file a CoS application has changed, please explain.

ii. If the intended date to file a CoS application is changing, please explain how this will effect future balances and disposition of Account 1576.

- i) NT Power confirms the intended date to file a CoS application has not changed.
- ii) If the intended date to file a CoS application is changing NT Power will apply for interim clearance of Account 1576 balance annually within the Annual IRM Application.