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BY E-MAIL

March 27, 2018

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LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Ms. Richardson:

**Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. (HONI)
Application for Leave to Construct Kapuskasing Area Reinforcement Project
Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2018-0098**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued the English and French versions of its Notice of Hearing for HONI's application for leave to upgrade existing transmission line and associated station facilities in the municipalities of Kapuskasing, Moonbeam, Fauquier-Strickland, and Smooth Rock Falls (Notice). Both English and French versions of the Notice will be published by the OEB, in accordance with directions to the OEB's agent which were copied to you. Please note that you must comply with the directions in paragraphs 1 and 2 below **prior to April 5, 2018**. If you are unable to comply with the directions within this timeframe, you must inform the Registrar (Registrar@oeb.ca) immediately.

You are directed:

1. To conduct a search of title forthwith, sufficient to determine the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest or land claims in the lands impacted by the upgrade of the transmission line and related facilities.
2. No later than the date that both the English and French versions of the Notice are posted on HONI's website in accordance with paragraph 3, to arrange for the service of each of the enclosed English and French versions of the Notice, in the exact form accompanying this letter and the application and the evidence, directly on each of the following:

- a. All directly affected property owners along the proposed route and encumbrancers with lands, interest or land claims in lands identified by the search of title referred to above
- b. All electricity distributors in whose service areas the proposed transmission line and related facilities are located
- c. All generators connected directly to the Hydro One Networks Inc. transmission line to which the proposed transmission line and related facilities will connect
- d. All transmission customers of Hydro One Networks Inc. connected directly to the transmission line to which the proposed transmission line and related facilities will connect
- e. All owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications (e.g. telephone) or other utilities along or crossing the route and location for the proposed transmission line and related facilities
- f. The Clerk of the Town of Kapuskasing
- g. The Clerks of each of the Townships of Moonbeam, Fauquier-Strickland and Smooth Rock Falls
- h. The Clerks of all other municipal or township offices of the communities where the subject transmission line and associated facilities are located
- i. All Indigenous Communities with any interest in the lands affected by the subject project, including Indigenous Communities that were identified by the Ontario Ministry of Energy, the Ontario Ministry of Indigenous Affairs and Reconciliation, and Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada
- j. The Chiefs of Ontario Toronto Administration Office Location: 111 Peter Street, Suite 804 Toronto, ON, M5V 2H1 and to Ontario Regional Chief Isadore Day (c/o Veronica McLeod, Executive Assistant to Ontario Regional Chief, (veronica.mcleod@coo.org))
- k. The following provincial government ministries and agencies:
 - i. Ministry of Energy
 - ii. Ministry of Infrastructure
 - iii. Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change
 - iv. Ministry of Natural Resources
 - v. Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation
 - vi. Ministry of Transportation
 - vii. Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
 - viii. Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport
 - ix. Ministry of the Attorney General

- x. Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
 - xi. Infrastructure Ontario
 - xii. Electrical Safety Authority
 - xiii. Independent Electricity System Operator
- I. The following federal government departments:
- i. Transport Canada
 - ii. Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada
3. To make a copy of both the English and French versions of the Notice, the application and evidence and any amendments thereto, available for public review at HONI's office and in a prominent place on HONI's website.
4. To file with the OEB, in both electronic and hard copy format, affidavit evidence proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 through 3 above immediately thereafter, with the relevant Notices and original post office registration receipts (where applicable), or courier confirmation lists attached as appendices.
5. To provide a copy of the Notice, application and evidence, and any amendments or additional materials as they are developed, to any person requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any documents or materials when serving the Notice other than documents or materials expressly required by this letter of direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kristi Sebalj
Registrar

Encl.

cc: Michael Engelberg, HONI