



April 18th, 2018

Ontario Energy Board (“OEB”)
2300 Yonge Street
P.O. Box 2319, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON
M4P 1E4

**RE: Essex Powerlines Corporation 2018 Cost of Service Application
Board File Number: EB-2017-0039**

Dear Ms. Walli,

Essex Powerlines Corporation (“EPLC”) filed a Settlement Proposal on April 13th, 2018. As a precautionary and proactive measure, Essex Powerlines Corporation is writing to request that its current rates be made interim effective May 1st, 2018, if a final rate order is not achieved in time.

If you have any questions or concerns whatsoever, please do not hesitate to contact me anytime.

Yours truly,

[Original Signed By]

Joe Barile
General Manager
Essex Powerlines Corporation

Cc: Mr. Donald Lau, Ontario Energy Board
Mr. Scott Stoll, Aird & Berlis (by email)
Intervenors (by email)