

## Ontario Energy Board Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario

# **DECISION AND ORDER**

### EB-2018-0141

### **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

Application for an Electricity Wholesaler Licence

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

April 26, 2018

### DECISION AND ORDER

Royal Bank of Canada filed an application on March 29, 2018, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) pursuant to Section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (OEB Act), for an electricity wholesaler licence to enable its participation in the IESO-administered markets as an energy trader.

This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority pursuant to Section 6 of the OEB Act. The Delegated Authority has considered the application without holding a hearing pursuant to Section 6(4) of the OEB Act.

After considering the application and assessing technical capability and financial viability of the applicant, the OEB finds that it is in the public interest to grant the application and issue the electricity wholesaler licence to Royal Bank of Canada.

#### IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The application is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

**DATED** at Toronto April 26, 2018

#### **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Original Signed By

Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance