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*Via email: [boardsec@oeb.ca](mailto:boardsec@oeb.ca)*  
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. Lake Superior Link Project**  
**Re: NextBridge Motion returnable May 24, 2018**  
**Your File No. EB-2017-0364**

### **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION EVIDENCE**

Please find attached BFN's Evidence on the above-captioned motion in form of an Affidavit and Exhibits from Chief Dean Sayers, filed electronically by e-mail to yourself and the other parties and individuals specified in Procedural Order No. 1 dated April 27, 2018.

This will further advise that Chief Sayers will be available by teleconference for the Technical Hearing scheduled for May 16, 2018, and that he will be assisted by counsel, Mr. Bill Henderson, [lawyer@bloorstreet.com](mailto:lawyer@bloorstreet.com), 416-413-9878.

It is BFN's present intention to appear by counsel at the return of the motion on May 24, 2018, while the First Nation reserves the right to make written submissions in lieu in accordance with the Board's Rules and Procedures.

Yours very truly,



Chief Dean Sayers

cc. Parties Listed in Schedule B to Procedural Order No. 1 (April 27, 2018)

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TO: **Parties Listed in Schedule B to Procedural Order No. 1 dated April 27, 2018**

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### **AFFIDAVIT OF CHIEF DEAN SAYERS**

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I, **CHIEF DEAN SAYERS**, of the Batchewana First Nation, in the Province of Ontario,  
**MAKE OATH AND SAY AS FOLLOWS:**

1. I am a member and elected Chief of the Batchewana First Nation ("BFN"), and thus have knowledge of the matters to which I here depose, except for those matters that are stated to be based on information and belief and, where so stated, I have provided the source of the information and believe it to be true.
2. I have served as Chief of BFN for 6 terms, starting in 2005, and am now in my seventh term. I currently live at the Rankin Reserve of the First Nation at Sault Ste. Marie but I grew up at Batchewana Bay on Lake Superior. The Obadjiwon Reserve on Batchewana Bay is the northernmost of our four BFN reserves.

3. BFN is a “band” within the meaning and for the purposes of the *Indian Act*, RSC 1985, c I-5, s. 2(1), with two reserves at Sault Ste. Marie, Rankin Reserve and Whitefish Island Reserve on the St. Mary's River, and two reserves, Goulais Bay Reserve and Obadjiwon Reserve, on Lake Superior north of Sault Ste. Marie.
4. As directed by Council and on behalf of BFN, I am providing this Affidavit as evidence in support of the First Nation's intervention in this proceeding.
5. At this point I can indicate that BFN has engaged with both NextBridge and Hydro One with respect to different projects in recent years. Those engagements and negotiations have been respectful and successful. One of the major points to be made in terms of the East-West Tie Line Proposals, however, is that NextBridge has engaged with BFN, as described below, while there has been no engagement or contact with BFN on the part of Hydro One.
6. On the basis of our engagement with NextBridge, BFN has provided a letter of support dated April 18, 2018, attached to this my Affidavit as Exhibit “A”.

### ISSUES

7. In this Affidavit, and in oral submissions to be made to the Board commencing May 24, 2018, the following topics are and will be addressed:
  - (a) The Original Reserve of the Batchewana First Nation
  - (b) First Nation Rights and Jurisdiction

- (c) Indigenous Consultation
- (d) The EA Transfer
- (e) The In-Service Date

#### THE ORIGINAL RESERVE OF THE BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION

8. Our Elders and Ancestors have found it strange that anyone other than Indigenous Nations should determine or define their traditional lands and resources. In the context of Canadian constitutional arrangements, however, the Royal Proclamation of 1763 was an act of the British Crown stating that, as one of "the several Nations or Tribes of Indians, with whom We [*the Crown*] are connected", BFN lands and resources were "reserved" to us as our "Hunting Grounds".
9. It was another 76 years before the Crown attempted to delineate our lands. In 1849, in preparation for the treaty to be negotiated the following year, Messrs. Vidal and Anderson were sent out to travel along the north shore of Lake Huron and the north and east shores of Lake Superior to enquire into the nature, populations and territories of the First Nations. Part of their Report was a plan showing their estimation of the lands of the respective First Nations, and part of that plan is attached to this my Affidavit as Exhibit "B".
10. On Exhibit "B", there is an area outlined commencing at the mouth of the Pukaskwa River, moving north and east until it meets an arc intended, I believe, to approximate

the height of land, and along that arc are the words "Batchewaunung, Michipicoten, Sault Ste. Marie Bands."

11. We consider Exhibit "B" to present a reasonably accurate depiction of our Original Reserve, though we take exception to the apparent exclusion of Otter Head and other lands in, north and east of present day Pukaskwa National Park. On the other hand, the failure of Vidal-Anderson to delineate the irregular contour of the height of land may properly indicate lands beyond that contour our people did use.

12. In 1850, Treaty Commissioner William Benjamin Robinson decided to negotiate two treaties rather than one: The Robinson Huron Treaty and The Robinson Superior Treaty. The stated boundary between the two runs from Batchewana Bay on Lake Superior to the height of land. While BFN is a signatory only to the Robinson Huron Treaty, our harvesting and other rights in the other treaty area consistent with our Original Reserve have been recognized by court decisions.

13. Attached to this my Affidavit as Exhibit "C" is a map showing the East-West Tie Line Proposed Route with the Vidal-Anderson "boundaries" added as broken red lines. I am advised by our consultant, Mr. Greer, that the length of the Proposed Route within our Original Reserve is slightly more than 100 km.

#### FIRST NATION RIGHTS AND JURISDICTION

14. BFN has consistently maintained and asserted its rights to resources, resource-sharing and resource management within its Original Reserve. These are consistent



with the responsibilities conferred on us by the Creator and we see our relationships with the Crown, including the Covenant Chain and our Treaties as also consistent with those continuing responsibilities.

15. BFN made its position clear to all concerned by publication of its Notice of Assertions, a copy of which is attached to this my Affidavit as Exhibit "D". The Notice appeared in newspapers in Ottawa, Toronto, Sault Ste. Marie and Thunder Bay in June of 2011. Its purpose was to assist interested parties, including other governments, "in understanding BFN's position historically and in the modern political, social, economic and legal fabric." BFN also relies upon the requirement for "free, prior and informed consent" as prescribed by the United Nations Declaration of the Rights of Indigenous Peoples to which Canada has adhered.

16. BFN does not shy away from the exercise of its rights and jurisdiction, though it does not seek or desire confrontation. As the Notice of Assertions indicates, however, and experience demonstrates, BFN is always willing to engage in respectful negotiations and has been many times successful in achieving mutually beneficial results.

#### INDIGENOUS CONSULTATION

17. This is a matter of constitutional entitlement, as we have been advised by our legal counsel and informed by many decisions of the Supreme Court of Canada.

18. In the context of the present proceeding before the OEB, it is apparent that Ontario has directed NextBridge to consult with, among others, "the Ojibways of Batchewana" (see NextBridge Application herein filed 2017-07-31, Exhibit H, Tab 1, Schedule I, Attachment I at p. 389). I can report that NextBridge has engaged with BFN in an appropriate and respectful manner consistent with its role as mandated by the Province.

19. NextBridge is currently close to concluding a Relationship Agreement it has negotiated with BFN regarding the East-West Tie Project. BFN believes it will be signed within the next eight weeks.

20. I regret to say that Hydro One has not engaged with BFN with respect to the East-West Tie Project. There has been a complete failure to consult on the part of Hydro One on the Lake Superior Link. Information provided to Batchewana First Nation to date has only dealt with proposed work by Hydro One at the Wawa Transmission facility and, in that regard, there has been no direct contact and no communications between Hydro One and BFN.

21. BFN is profoundly concerned at what appears to be an estimate of as little as 45 days to complete a full program of Indigenous Consultation. Even more concerning is the lack of a plan to consult, in advance of major decisions, including decisions by this Board.

22. It is the experience of BFN, consistent that Hydro One cannot conclude proper consultation and accommodation in advance of the proposed In-Service Date. Such a dilatory process and such a result would be completely unacceptable to BFN.


#### THE IN-SERVICE DATE

23. The proposed In-Service Date by NextBridge is the end of 2020. Hydro One proposes a date sometime in 2021. From the materials we have reviewed, it appears to BFN that any or all of the following factors might adversely affect Hydro One's ability to meet that date:

- (a) Proper Indigenous Consultation – as detailed above;
- (b) Timely Agreement with Parks Canada – noting that there is no prospect of any early agreement to upgrade the existing line through Pukaskwa National Park;
- (c) Permission for Hydro One to rely on the Environmental Assessment work done by NextBridge to support Hydro One's Application for a Licence to Construct – which appears to turn on a determination of whether Hydro One's latest version of its Application is a "new" proposal requiring a new environmental assessment, and which raises issues of fairness as well; and
- (d) The "Completeness" of Hydro One's Application.

25. I make this Affidavit in support of BFN's intervention on the said Motion as set out above and for no other or improper purpose.

**SWORN BEFORE ME** at the Rankin  
Reserve in the City of Sault Ste. Marie,  
Province of Ontario, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.

  
A Commissioner, etc.

Lisa Anne Marie McCormick,  
a Commissioner, etc. District of Algoma,  
E. Batchewana First Nation of Ojibways.  
Expires August 7, 2019.

  
CHIEF DEAN SAYERS

## EXHIBIT "A"

**THIS IS Exhibit "A" to the Affidavit of  
CHIEF DEAN SAYERS, sworn before  
me at the Rankin Reserve in the City of  
Sault Ste. Marie, Province of Ontario,  
this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.**



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Lisa Anne Marie McCormick,  
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April 18, 2018

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**Subject: Nextbridge East-West Tie Application – Your File No. EB-2017-0182**

I am instructed by the Council of the Batchewana First Nation ("BFN") to provide this letter of support for the above application as set out in this letter.

We confirm that BFN and NextBridge Infrastructure LP ("NextBridge") have engaged in good faith consultation with each other concerning the East-West Tie Transmission Project, a proposed 400-kilometre electricity transmission line between Wawa and Thunder Bay, Ontario (the "Project"), that is intended to be located on traditional lands of the First Nation.

We confirm that these consultation activities have enhanced the First Nations' understanding of the Project, its potential impacts and benefits, and we believe they have also enhanced NextBridge's understanding of the concerns of the First Nation regarding BFN's treaty and other rights in the Project lands, and other interests related to the Project.

As a result of these consultation activities, BFN and NextBridge have agreed in principle to create a Relationship Agreement, which still requires additional negotiation. This agreement will describe in more detail the future participation of BFN in the project development activities including the environmental assessment process and will also formalize the accommodations to be provided by Nextbridge.

Subject to successful conclusion of that agreement, BFN affirms:

- (a) its support for NextBridge's consultation interactions with the First Nation in respect of the Project;
- (b) its support for NextBridge's development of the Project and Project approvals sought by NextBridge, including the environmental assessment for the Project, and the leave-to-construction application to the Ontario Energy Board; and
- (c) BFN's expectation that NextBridge will continue to be, respectful of BFN's rights and interests, and will continue to engage and dialogue with the First Nation and work cooperatively with BFN during the development, construction and operation of the Project.



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Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have in relation to this letter of support.

Yours very truly

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Chief Dean Sayers  
Batchewana First Nation

CDS:sk

c.c.

W. Greer, ABN

W. Henderson, Legal Counsel

BFN Council

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this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.

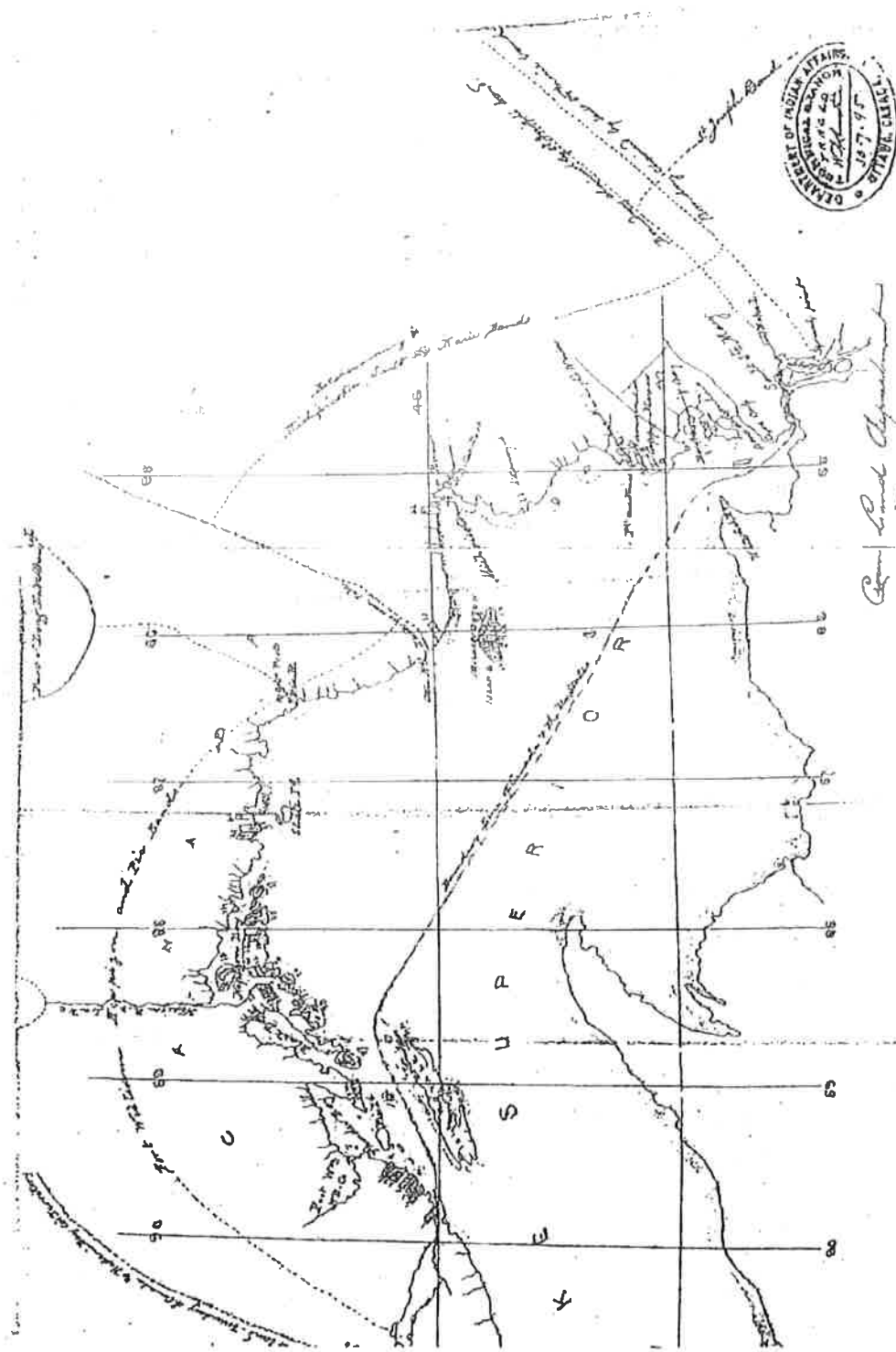
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A Commissioner, etc.

Lisa Anne Made McCormick,  
Deputy Registrar of the Court of Ontario,  
and Deputy Registrar of the Court of Ontario,  
Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario,  
May 7, 2018.



REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS VIDAL AND ANDERSON - 1849



*Genl. Lind. Chapman  
Lieut. John W. W. W.  
Ottawa August 1849*

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**A Commissioner, etc.**

Like Anna Marie McCormick,  
a Commissioner, etc., of Algoma,  
for the Sault Ste. Marie First Nation of Ojibways.  
Expires August 7, 2019

NEXTBRIDGE PROPOSED ROUTE SHOWING VIDAL-ANDERSON "BOUNDARY" (1849)



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# From the Government of BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION OF OJIBWAYS

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## BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION NOTICE OF ASSERTIONS

### Purpose

By this Notice of Assertions the Batchewana First Nation ("BFN"), by its Chief and Council, gives formal notice to other governments, to resource users and developers, to its neighbours and to the general public of the rights and interests it asserts and will continue to assert in its original traditional and historic territory.

BFN asserts and relies upon the Covenant Chain of mutual respect and agreements with the Crown, including The Two Row Wampum Belt which was an early treaty that First Nations and colonial settlers would each travel in their own vessels, side by side with each under their own laws, customs and ways. Like the Constitution of Canada, the Covenant Chain is "a living tree" that continues to inform our ongoing relationship with other governments. In fact, the Covenant Chain reaches all citizens who, if they accept the benefit of our agreements with the Crown, must also accept the obligations of the Crown to BFN.

### Territory

Like other Ojibway in the upper Great Lakes, the Batchewana First Nation has exercised its responsibility to use, possess and protect the waters, lands and resources from time immemorial. The Creator placed our people at Desautel (the name is now called Sault Ste. Marie) with love and responsibilities to live in harmony with all Creation. Our elders have told us when the Creator told the crane to choose a homeland, the crane flew around and settled at Desautel where there was an abundance of fish. The elders say that our original territory extended from the area around Desautel and up the coast of Lake Superior as far as what is now Pukaskiw National Park, including islands in the lake, and to the north and northeast beyond the height of land. In 1848 this territory was confirmed when two government agents, Vidal and Anderson, were sent to enquire into the traditional territories of the various First Nations. BFN continues to hold and to assert rights and interests in its original territory just as it did prior to any treaty with the Crown.

### Treaties

In 1850, Crown Commissioner Robinson negotiated two treaties at Sault Ste. Marie, now known as the Robinson Huron and Robinson Superior Treaties. The original territory of BFN extends into both treaty areas and BFN has rights in both treaty areas. Our rights beyond the height of land were not addressed at that time since that area was then claimed by the Hudson's Bay Company and was not part of the Province of Canada.

The Batchewana First Nation became a signatory to the Robinson Huron Treaty under its Chief Menemegong. In return for the opening of extensive lands to the Province, the treaty promised BFN continued access to resources, annuity payments and continued aboriginal title to two reserves: Whitefish Island in the rapids at the Soo and the Batchewana Bay Reserve from a point west of Gros Cap to the north of Batchewana Bay, including Batchewana Island, and 10 miles (request) inland from the shoreline throughout. The actual survey of the Batchewana reserve did not run the proper distance back from the shoreline leaving an outstanding treaty land entitlement that has never been fulfilled. The issue of whether the northern boundary of that reserve should have been surveyed further north than it was has never been addressed.

The survey of the Batchewana Bay Reserve was hardly complete when government agents began to acquire the reserve lands from BFN. Finally, after years of pressure, a complex arrangement was put in place by R.T. Pennell, Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, involving BFN and two other First Nations. This would leave BFN with only the small reserve at Whitefish Island, the Batchewana Reserve to be sold for the benefit of BFN and lots of 40 acres to be granted to BFN members at Garden River. Those grants were never made because Pennell did not negotiate with Garden River to provide for them. And while the original reserve lands were mostly sold, the issue of diminished area was never resolved and, as is common with sales of Anishinabe lands, there are problems with the prices and accounting that need to be resolved. BFN does not assert 1850 rights against Garden River, but does seek redress from Canada and Ontario.

### Reserves

Canada's failure to have due regard for the interests of BFN in 1850, or even to the legality of its promises to BFN, left our membership without any land base except for islands comprising the small fishing station in the rapids. Their treaty reserve was being sold, they had no land tenure at Garden River and no other reserve lands to call their own. Over time, lands were purchased at Goulais Bay and at the Rankin location, using the First Nation's own funds. Governments did not recognize or protect BFN settlements at Batchewana Bay, at Agawa River or later at Gros Cap. In 1982, Whitefish Island itself was restored through negotiation and settlement with Canada after it was lost to BFN for nearly a century.

BFN asserts its right to an increased inventory of reserve land based on the outstanding treaty entitlement from 1849 and 1850 and the failed promises of land tenure made in 1850.

### Resources

BFN maintains and asserts its rights to resources, resource-sharing and resource management within its traditional territory. These resources are fish, including the commercial fishery and management of the BFN fishery, wildlife and biosphere resource management, mines and minerals, waters and wetlands, wind and the environment.

In addition to substantive rights to manage and conserve, BFN asserts its right to be engaged about development, exploitation or proposals that will impact these resources, the environment or the rights and interests of BFN. The object of these consultations would be the "free, prior and informed consent" of BFN as provided for in the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, which is consistent with the custom of BFN.

### Relationships

BFN prides itself as a good neighbour to other First Nations and to other communities. While underlying in its assertion of its rights to resources and to shared resources, BFN and its members do not seek out confrontation and do seek to avoid it whenever possible. BFN is always prepared to proceed on the basis of mutual respect to seek mutual understanding and to consider the free, prior and informed consent referred to above.

This notice of assertions will assist interested parties, and those who should be interested, in understanding BFN's position historically and in the modern political, social, economic and legal fabric. We welcome requests for further information. We also look forward to building on the many positive relationships we have enjoyed over the years.

Many of the assertions noted here have not been submitted to any court or other negotiating process to date, although other governments are well aware of them. BFN anticipates working with other governments on processes of reconciliation and reserves all rights and remedies for vindication of BFN's assertions. Everyone now has formal notice of these assertions and of the opportunity to become better informed about them. All concerned are put on notice to work with BFN in future where activities, projects, policies and developments may have an impact on BFN rights and interests.

### Issues

Outstanding 1850 Treaty land entitlement and other Treaty issues

Rights to resources, harvesting and development of resources, resource management and conservation (pre- and post-Treaty)

Treaty annuities

Invalidity and failure of 1850 Pennell arrangement (protection of interests, security of land tenure, shortfall of compensation due to outstanding treaty land entitlement)

Failure to protect and preserve BFN reserve and community lands for future generations

Issues of compensation, land sales and accounting after 1850

Unsold surrendered lands

Continuing BFN rights and interests in our Original Territory

Engagement, Accommodation and Consent

*This short list is not exhaustive and not overly detailed. It gives shape to BFN's assertions and to this notice. After publication of this notice, all concerned have, at a minimum, a duty to enquire and, in appropriate circumstances, there will be a duty to engage with BFN and to accommodate BFN rights and interests or to secure BFN consent. BFN will take such steps as it deems necessary to enforce those duties.*

Chief and Council, and the Batchewana First Nation, look forward to your cooperation.