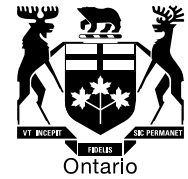


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Dear Mr. Esquega:

Re: **Hearing of Motion on Hydro One Networks Inc.'s Lake Superior Link Project  
OEB File Number - EB-2017-0364  
Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek's Request to File Evidence and Make  
Submissions**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) is in receipt of a May 8, 2018 letter from Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek (BZA) requesting leave to file written evidence on the motion that is scheduled for May 24 and 25, 2018. In its letter, BZA also advises of its intention to make written argument on the motion, while reserving the right to make oral argument in accordance with the Rules and Procedures of the OEB. In their intervention request filed on April 12, 2018, BZA further indicates that the Lake Superior Link Project has the potential to impact their rights, interests, lands, claims and practices. On May 9, 2018, the OEB received the BZA's affidavit evidence.

The OEB finds that it can be assisted by written evidence from BZA and grants leave to file BZA's affidavit evidence which was sent to the Board Secretary and provided to all parties earlier today. A representative of BZA must be available to attend the technical conference scheduled for May 16 and 17, 2018 either in person or via teleconference to answer questions relating to BZA's evidence.

Finally, the OEB notes that Procedural Order No. 1 permits parties to file their legal argument in writing rather than orally but not both. In the event that BZA decides to submit a written argument, it must be filed with the OEB **by 9:30 a.m. on May 24, 2018.**

Yours truly,

*Original signed by*

Kirsten Walli  
Board Secretary

cc: All parties listed in Schedule B of Procedural Order No. 1, Hearing of Motion issued on April 27, 2018 (EB-2017-0364)