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Attn: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2017-0182/0194/0364 – East-West Tie Line – Procedural Order No.1

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition (“SEC”). SEC writes to request the Board amend Procedural Order No.1, to allow intervenors to pose interrogatories to Nextbridge regarding the NextBridge-EWT Application, and Hydro One regarding the Hydro One-Station Upgrades Application.

SEC recognizes that intervenors had an opportunity to ask interrogatories on these applications previously, but the context has changed in the interim. SEC wishes to ask certain follow-up questions regarding issues raised during the motion hearing, as well as to pose some identical interrogatories to both Hydro One and Nextbridge on their respective competing transmission line projects so as to facilitate a better comparison between them. It is SEC’s belief that providing an opportunity to ask additional interrogatories will also facilitate a better understanding of the differences between the proposals, a more efficient and productive oral hearing, and negate the need to request certain undertakings.

SEC also wishes to ask Hydro One additional interrogatories on its Hydro One-Station Upgrades Application project to understand the implications of the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks’ (previously the Minister of the Environment and Climate Change) position as set out in the attachment to Hydro One’s letter to the Board dated June 29, 2018, regarding issues with the timing of the environmental assessment process.

Yours very truly,
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