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

DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2018-0220

ERTH POWER CORPORATION

Application for an Electricity Distribution Licence Amendment

BY DELEGATION,

BEFORE: Brian Hewson

Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

August 30, 2018

DECISION AND ORDER

ERTH Power Corporation filed an application on July 3, 2018, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB), under section 74 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (OEB Act) to amend its electricity distribution licence ED-2002-0516.

The current name that appears on the electricity distribution licence ED-2002-0516 is Erie Thames Powerlines Corporation. The requested amendment is to change the name that appears on the licence to ERTH Power Corporation to reflect a change in the legal name of the licensee. The name change occurred on June 19, 2018. In support of the name change request, the applicant provided a copy of the Articles of Amendment issued under the *Business Corporations Act and* a copy of a Special Shareholder Resolution approved by the eight municipal shareholders of the applicant's parent company, ERTH Corporation. The applicant indicated that it is in the process of notifying its customers and stakeholders of this name change. There are no other changes to the licence and all other provisions remain the same.

This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority without a hearing pursuant to section 6(4) of the OEB Act.

The OEB finds that it is in the public interest to grant the requested amendment to the licence. In approving the change in name on the distribution licence, the OEB notes that ERTH will continue to operate under the Erie Thames Powerlines' approved Rate Orders until such time as those orders are revised. Further, ERTH is expected to inform the OEB when it has completed notifying its customers of the change and at that time request appropriate changes to the Ontario Electricity Support Program's website to ensure ERTH's consumers are able to apply for the program.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

 The name on the electricity distribution licence ED-2002-0516 is amended to be ERTH Power Corporation. The amended licence is attached to this Decision and Order.

DATED at Toronto, August 30, 2018

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance