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Attention: Ms. K. Walli, Board Secretary

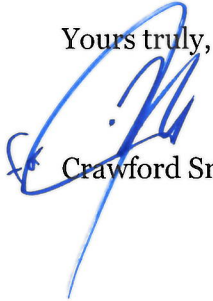
Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Alectra Utilities - Application for Distribution Rates and Other Charges
Effective January 1, 2019 (EB-2018-0016)**

We are counsel to the applicant, Alectra Utilities Corporation ("Alectra"), in the above-noted matter.

In a letter dated August 27, 2018, we advised the Board that, due to the volume of interrogatories received and the late filing of interrogatories from AMPCO and VECC, Alectra may be challenged to meet the Friday, September 14, 2018 deadline for filing responses. Alectra has been working diligently to prepare its interrogatory responses. However, for the aforementioned reasons, as well as due to a family health emergency affecting the availability of one of its core team members, Alectra does not expect to be in a position to file its responses until Monday, September 17, 2018. We therefore request a minor extension to permit Alectra to file its interrogatory responses by such date. As the Board has not fixed any subsequent dates in the proceeding, no parties will be adversely affected by this request.

Yours truly,



Crawford Smith

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