



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

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## DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2018-0250

## ESSAR STEEL ALGOMA INC.

Application for an Electricity Wholesaler Licence

**BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Brian Hewson**  
Vice President,  
Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

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September 20, 2018

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**DECISION AND ORDER**

Essar Steel Algoma Inc. filed an application on August 14, 2018, under section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (OEB Act) for an electricity wholesaler licence.

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

The applicant neglected to renew its previous electricity wholesaler licence EW-2012-0269 before it expired on August 1, 2017. The applicant has been operating without a licence since that date, in contravention of section 57 of the OEB Act, and may be subject to an OEB compliance proceeding.

After considering the application, the OEB finds it to be in the public interest to issue the electricity wholesaler licence under Part V of the OEB Act to Essar Steel Algoma Inc. This licence is granted without prejudice with regard to any future compliance actions.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The application is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

**DATED** at Toronto September 20, 2018

**ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

*Original Signed By*

Brian Hewson  
Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance