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Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street P.O. Box 2319 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

EB-2018-0190 - Wataynikaneyap Power LP Application for Leave to Construct New Transmission Lines and Associated Facilities in Northwestern Ontario – Intervenor Status Request

In response to the Ontario Energy Board's above-named Notice of Application, Hydro One Remote Communities Inc. ("Remotes") is requesting intervenor status.

Remotes is an integrated generation and distribution company licensed to generate and distribute electricity within 21 isolated communities in northern Ontario.

The proposed transmission facilities are expected to connect 16 remote communities to the transmission system, comprising nine communities currently served by Remotes and seven that are expected to join Remotes' service territory once the project is completed. Remotes has significant interest in the project, as Remotes will be required negotiate new asset transfer agreements and amend its operating and financial procedures. Remotes is also interested in the potential impact on reliability to its current customers.

Remotes intends to participate in the proceeding as necessary to determine issues, clarify or test evidence through interrogatories, and if required, provide submissions and/or argument on issues pertinent to its interests.

Remotes is not eligible for and does not intend to seek an award of costs as per the Board's Cost Award Guidelines.

Remotes requests that documents filed with the Board in this proceeding be served as follows.



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An electronic copy of this has been filed through the Ontario Energy Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System (RESS).

Sincerely,

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