

October 3, 2018

Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319, 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Re:

Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited (THESL) 2020 to 2024 Electricity Distribution Rate Application

AMPCO Intervention & Cost Eligibility Request

Board File No. EB-2018-0165

Dear Ms. Walli:

I am writing pursuant to the Board's Notice of Application regarding the above proceeding to request intervenor status.

AMPCO's Interest AMPCO is a not-for-profit consumer interest advocacy organization. AMPCO's members represent Ontario's major industries: forestry, chemical, mining and minerals, steel, petroleum products, cement, automotive and manufacturing and business consumers in general.

AMPCO members are major investors, major employers and a major part of communities in which we operate, across Ontario. AMPCO and its member companies are well known to the Board. AMPCO participates in many proceedings, working groups, consultations and initiatives of the Ontario Energy Board in which matters relevant to Ontario's large electricity consumers are being addressed.

AMPCO's interest in the Board's regulation of distribution and transmission companies relates generally to the interests of consumers with respect to price, adequacy, reliability and quality of electricity service, and, more particularly, to how costs are allocated to, and rates are designed to recover costs from, industrial customers.

In this application, THESL seeks approval of rates effective January 1, 2020 and approval of its Custom Price Cap Index (Custom PCI) framework to set distribution rates effective for the period January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2024.

AMPCO is interested in the proposed methodology to set rates, the proposed capital and operating costs, benchmarking results and reliability and other outcomes proposed by THESL. Generally, AMPCO is intervening in order to ensure that the interests of its members are fully represented in the determination of just and reasonable rates.

We respectfully request that the Board please confirm AMPCO's eligibility for an award of costs in this matter. AMPCO has been granted intervenor status and cost awards in other OEB proceedings and has previously been approved in THESL proceedings.

Notice

Please serve all correspondence pertaining to this proceeding to AMPCO's consultant as follows:

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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Sincerely yours,

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President

Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario

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