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Attention: Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

## Re: Ontario Sustainable Energy Association Comments on Draft Agenda Board File Nos. EB-2017-0127 and EB-2017-0128

Pursuant to your letter dated August 15, 2018, OSEA submits the following comments on the draft agenda for the Stakeholder Meeting.

We have reviewed Mr. Elson's letter submitted on behalf of Environmental Defence and the Green Energy Coalition dated August 21, 2018. OSEA agrees with Mr. Elson's letter that an extra day be added to the stakeholder meeting agenda to allow for additional time for stakeholder question periods and stakeholder presentations.

Given the recent decision by the government to cancel the Cap and Trade Program, conservation through DSM has become more important. The parties should be provided sufficient time to conduct a comprehensive review of the natural gas utilities' DSM plans and the framework in light of the new government directions.

Yours truly,

Joanna Vince

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