

December 21, 2018

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

Re: EB-2016-0130 Hydro One Networks Inc. 2019 Transmission Rate Application

AMPCO's Letter of Intervention

Dear Ms. Walli:

I am writing pursuant to the Board's Notice of Application and Hearing 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 has previously been approved by the Board in numerous Hydro One proceedings including Hydro One's last transmission rate application EB-2016-0160 for 2017/2018 rates.

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, quality and affordability of electricity service, and, more particularly, to how costs are allocated to, and rates are designed to recover costs from, industrial customers.

AMPCO is intervening in order to ensure that consumer interests and in particular the interests of industrial customers are fully represented in the determination of just and reasonable rates. Specifically, AMPCO is interested in the calculation of the Revenue Cap Index adjustment to determine Hydro One's 2019 revenue requirement and Hydro One's proposed disposal of regulatory assets.

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

## **Notice**

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

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I trust this letter will suffice for the Board to grant intervenor status to AMPCO and to confirm AMPCO's eligibility for a cost award.

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

Sincerely yours,

(Original Signed By)

Colin Anderson President Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario

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