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

DECISION AND ORDER ON COST AWARDS

EB-2018-0191

IAMGOLD CORPORATION

Application for Leave to Construct Transmission Facilities in the District of Sudbury, Ontario

BEFORE: Emad Elsayed

Presiding Member

January 11, 2019

INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

This is a decision of the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on cost claims filed with respect to an IAMGOLD Corporation (IAMGOLD) proceeding.

On July 11, 2018, IAMGOLD applied to the OEB under sections 92, 97 and 101 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for an order granting leave to construct approximately 44 kilometres of 115 kV transmission line and associated facilities in the District of Sudbury, Ontario.

The OEB granted Mattagami First Nation (MFN) intervenor status and cost award eligibility.

On December 6, 2018, the OEB issued its Decision and Order in which it set out the process for MFN to file its cost claim, for IAMGOLD to object to the claim and for MFN to respond to any objections raised by IAMGOLD. MFN's cost claim was submitted on December 21, 2018. On December 28, 2018, the OEB issued its Procedural Order No. 2 in which it revised the dates for IAMGOLD to object to the claim and for MFN to respond to any objections raised by IAMGOLD. No objection was received from IAMGOLD.

Findings

The OEB has reviewed MFN's cost claim to ensure that it is compliant with the OEB's *Practice Direction on Cost Awards*.

The OEB finds that MFN is eligible for 100% of its reasonably incurred costs of participating in this proceeding. The OEB finds that the claim of MFN is reasonable and shall be reimbursed by IAMGOLD.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, IAMGOLD Corporation shall immediately pay Mattagami First Nation \$10,392.89.

2. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, IAMGOLD Corporation shall pay the OEB's costs of, and incidental to, this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the OEB's invoice.

DATED at Toronto January 11, 2019

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary