

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

## **DECISION AND ORDER**

EB-2018-0334

### HURDMAN DAM GENERATING STATION LTD.

Application for an Electricity Generation Licence

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Brian Hewson Vice President Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

February 7, 2019

#### **DECISION AND ORDER**

Hurdman Dam Generating Station Ltd. (Hurdman) filed an application on December 10, 2018, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) pursuant to Section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (OEB Act), for a new electricity generation licence.

This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority, without holding a hearing, pursuant to Section 6(4) of the OEB Act.

Hurdman has applied to own and operate the Hurdman Dam generation facility with an installed capacity of 0.57 MW located at 4955 Hurdman Dam, Mattawa, Ontario. The facility has been owned and operated by Algounquin Power (Canada) Holdings Inc. (Algonquin Power) under the authority of its electricity generation licence EG-2003-0195. Hurdman submitted that Algonquin Power has sold the subject facility to Hurdman on November 23, 2018. As Algonquin Power does not own or operate any generation facilities, on January 10, 2019, Algonquin Power requested cancellation of its licence EG-2003-0195 pursuant to section 77(5) of the OEB Act. And on January 11, 2018, the OEB accepted Algonquin Power's request to cancel its licence.

After considering the application and assessing the technical capability and financial viability of the applicant, the OEB finds that it is in the public interest to grant the application and issue an electricity generation licence to Hurdman Dam Generating Station Ltd. under Part V of the OEB Act.

#### IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The application is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

DATED at Toronto February 7, 2019

#### ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance