

BY EMAIL

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Dear Mr. Taylor:

Re: EB-2018-0031 Essex Powerlines Corporation Application for Rates

Theodore Antonopoulos, the Ontario Energy Board's Vice President of Applications has been delegated authority under Section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* to make a decision on the 2019 Price Cap IR application filed by Essex Powerlines Corporation on November 5, 2018.

Attached to this letter is a draft of the decision the delegated authority proposes to make based on the application and any subsequent updates or clarifications. All relevant information and updates to the application have been provided to you as part of this draft decision circulation and/or earlier directly from OEB staff.

Please review the decision and provide any comments. Please also review the accompanying draft Rate Order for accuracy and completeness. Any comments are to be provided no later than March 21, 2019.

The Vice President of Applications will consider your comments, if any, provided they have been received by the deadline, and issue a final decision and rate order in due course.

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Any questions relating to this letter or your application should be directed to Christiane Wong, Information Administrator at 416-440-8115 or Christiane.Wong@oeb.ca.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary