

Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited

**Application for electricity distribution rates beginning
January 1, 2020 until December 31, 2024**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 8
June 6, 2019**

Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited (Toronto Hydro) filed a 5-year Custom Incentive Rate-setting (IR) application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on August 15, 2018 (updated September 14, 2018) under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B) seeking approval for changes to its distribution rates, to be effective January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2024.

On May 31, 2019, Toronto Hydro filed a supplemental report by Power Systems Engineering Inc. (PSE) (the Supplemental Report).

The OEB has determined that it is appropriate to allow parties the opportunity to ask questions on the Supplemental Report as it will likely create efficiencies at the oral hearing. The OEB has established a process for written interrogatories with respect to the Supplemental Report. The expectation is that the interrogatories will be very limited in scope and address only the evidence provided in the Supplemental Report.

It is necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. The OEB will issue further procedural orders from time to time. All of the existing deadlines set out in the Decision on Confidentiality and Procedural Order No. 4 remain unchanged.

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:**Interrogatories on the Supplemental Report**

- 1) OEB staff and intervenors may file interrogatories on the Supplemental Report by **June 12, 2019**.
- 2) Toronto Hydro shall respond to any interrogatories received related to the Supplemental Report by **June 21, 2019**.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, **EB-2018-0165**, be made in searchable / unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at <https://pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/>. Two paper copies must also be filed at the OEB's address provided below. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <http://www.oeb.ca/OEB/Industry>. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a USB flash drive in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Lawrie Gluck at lawrie.gluck@oeb.ca and OEB Counsel, Michael Millar at michael.millar@oeb.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, June 6, 2019

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