

BY EMAIL

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### **LETTER OF DIRECTION**

Dear Applicants:

**Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One Networks) and Hydro Ottawa Ltd.  
(Hydro Ottawa)  
Application for Leave to Construct – Power South Nepean Project  
Ontario Energy Board File Number EB-2019-0077**

On May 28, 2019, Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One Networks) and Hydro Ottawa Ltd. (Hydro Ottawa) applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) under s.92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for approval to upgrade existing transmission line facilities and to construct a new transmission line and a new municipal transformer station in the City of Ottawa (Power South Nepean Project).

The OEB has issued a Notice of Hearing for Hydro One Networks' and Hydro Ottawa's application (Notice). The English and French versions of the Notice will be published by the OEB, in accordance with directions to the OEB's agent which were copied to you. Please note that you must comply with the directions in paragraphs 2 and 3 below **prior**

**to July 6, 2019**, which is the publication date of the newspaper in which the Notice will appear last. If you are unable to comply with the directions within this timeframe, you must inform the Registrar immediately at [Registrar@oeb.ca](mailto:Registrar@oeb.ca).

You are directed:

1. To conduct a search of title forthwith, sufficient to determine the current registered property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in the lands directly affected by the proposed upgrade and construction of the transmission line, municipal transformer station and related facilities.
2. No later than the date the Notice is posted on Hydro One Networks' and Hydro Ottawa's websites in accordance with paragraph 3, to arrange for the service of both the English and French versions of the enclosed Notice, in the exact forms accompanying this letter, and the application and the evidence, directly on each of the following:
  - a. all property owners and encumbrancers with lands or interest in lands identified in the search of title referred to in paragraph 1 above
  - b. all generators connected directly to the Hydro One Networks' transmission line to which the proposed transmission line, municipal transformer station, and related facilities will connect
  - c. all transmission customers of Hydro One Networks connected directly to the transmission line to which the proposed transmission line, municipal transformer station, and related facilities will connect
  - d. all owners and operators of rail lines, telecommunications (e.g. telephone) or other utilities along or crossing the route and location for the proposed transmission line, municipal transformer station, and related facilities will connect
  - e. the City Clerk of the City of Ottawa
  - f. all Indigenous communities that have been consulted or with lands or interest in the lands directly affected by the proposed upgrade and construction of the transmission line, the municipal transformer station and related facilities
  - g. the following provincial government ministries and agencies:
    - i. Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines
    - ii. Ministry of Infrastructure
    - iii. Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks
    - iv. Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry
    - v. Ministry of Indigenous Affairs

- vi. Ministry of Transportation
- vii. Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing
- viii. Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport
- ix. Ministry of the Attorney General
- x. Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
- xi. Ontario Infrastructure and Lands Corporation (Infrastructure Ontario)
- xii. Electrical Safety Authority
- xiii. Independent Electricity System Operator

- h. the following federal government departments:
  - i. Transport Canada
  - ii. Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada
  - iii. Indigenous Services Canada

(Note: It is acceptable to serve a party with an electronic copy of the evidence by e-mail, provided the party has stated its preference in writing for the same.)

- 3. To make a copy of both the English and French versions of the Notice, the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, available for public review at Hydro One Networks' and Hydro Ottawa's offices and in a prominent place on Hydro One Networks' and Hydro Ottawa's websites.
- 4. To file with the OEB, in both electronic and hard copy format, affidavit evidence proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 through 3 above immediately thereafter, with the relevant Notices and original post office registration receipts (where applicable), or courier confirmation lists attached as appendices.
- 5. To provide a copy of both the English and French versions of the Notice, the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any documents or materials when serving the Notice other than documents or materials expressly required by this letter of direction to be served.

Yours truly,

*Original Signed By*

Christine E. Long  
Registrar  
Office of the Registrar

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