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Ms. Kirsten Walli Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street P.O. Box 2319 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

## EB-2018-0218 - Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie's Application for 2019 Revenue Cap and Other Related Matters – DRO Response

Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie ("HOSSM") has received and reviewed the comments from OEB staff on July 8, 2019 pertaining to the Draft Rate Order and Implementation memo filed by HOSSM on July 2, 2019.

HOSSM concurs with OEB Staff's comments and stands ready to implement the proposed rates upon final direction.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JEFFREY SMITH

Jeffrey Smith