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

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Energy+ Inc. 2020 IRM Application – Request for Extension

In accordance with the Ontario Energy Board's (the "Board") letter dated July 15, 2019, Energy+ Inc. is scheduled to file its 2020 Incentive Rate Setting Mechanism Distribution Rate Application ("IRM Application") on August 12, 2019.

Energy+ is requesting an extension to the filing date to August 26, 2019. Energy+ submits that the following circumstances warrant consideration and the granting of the extension:

- Energy+'s 2020 IRM Application is to be based on applying an IRM factor to 2019 Distribution Rates. Energy+ received final 2019 Distribution Rates as part of the Final Decision and Order (EB-2018-0028) dated August 1, 2019 (7 business days before the 2020 IRM Application is due).
- Energy+ regulatory resources have been working diligently over the past few months to complete the 2019 Cost of Service Application, including the filing of the Draft Rate Order ("DRO") in the latter part of June and updates required to the DRO up until mid-July. As a result, the allocation of resources to the completion of the 2020 IRM Application has been impacted.
- Energy+'s 2020 IRM Rate Setting Model, updated by Board Staff for the final 2019 distribution rates, was received on August 6th. As of today, the 2020 IRM Rate Setting model requires additional modifications by Board Staff. It is our understanding that we will receive a further update today, August 7th. Energy+ cannot complete its IRM Application in the absence of having these updated and corrected models.
- As previously communicated to the Board, Energy+'s 2020 IRM Application will include an Incremental Capital Module. The ICM Model was not made available on the OEB website until August 1, 2019. Energy+ requires additional time to complete the ICM Model.

In light of the above circumstances, Energy+ requires the additional time requested to ensure that the 2020 IRM Application is completed in accordance with the filing guidelines. Energy+ would appreciate the Board's understanding for an extension to August 26, 2019.

If you require any additional information or clarification, please contact the undersigned at (519) 621-8405, ext 2340.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'DM', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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