



Independent Electricity System Operator

Application for approval of 2019 expenditures, revenue requirement and fees

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 7 September 30, 2019

The Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on January 28, 2019 under subsection 25(1) of the *Electricity Act*, *1998*, seeking approval for its 2019 expenditures, revenue requirement, and fees.

In accordance with Procedural Order No. 5, a settlement conference amongst the parties was held on July 17, 2019 and July 18, 2019. The IESO filed a settlement proposal arising from the settlement conference on August 2, 2019. In the Decision on Settlement Proposal and Procedural Order No. 6, the OEB accepted the settlement proposal and set out a process for the IESO to file updated evidence on recent changes to the Market Renewal Program, and to respond to interrogatories from the parties on that evidence.

After reviewing the interrogatory responses provided by the IESO, the OEB has decided to proceed with written submissions on the unsettled issues.

It is necessary to make provision for the following matter related to this proceeding. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The IESO shall file its Argument-in-Chief with the OEB, with a copy to all parties, by **October 11, 2019**.
- 2. OEB staff and intervenors shall file their submissions, if any, with the OEB, with a copy to all parties, by **October 25, 2019**.
- 3. The IESO may file a reply with the OEB, with a copy to all parties, by **November 6, 2019**.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, EB-2019-0002, be made in searchable/unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at <u>https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/.</u> 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 email address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <u>http://www.oeb.ca/OEB/Industry</u>. 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 memory stick 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 Registrar 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, Andrew Bishop at <u>Andrew.Bishop@oeb.ca</u> and OEB Counsel, Ian Richler at <u>Ian.Richler@oeb.ca</u>.

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DATED at Toronto, September 30, 2019

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