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## **RESS, EMAIL & COURIER**

Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 27th Floor, 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Attention: Ms. K. Walli, Board Secretary

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Semi-Annual Report on CWIP Account and Backup Supply Arrangements for the Wataynikaneyap Transmission Project (EB-2018-0190)

Enclosed on behalf of Wataynikaneyap Power LP (WPLP) is the October 15, 2019 Semi-Annual Report on CWIP Account and Backup Supply Arrangements for the Wataynikaneyap Transmission Project. This report, a copy of which has also been filed on RESS, is provided in accordance with the Board's Decision and Order in EB-2018-0190 (issued April 1, 2019 and revised April 29, 2019). Please note that this is the first such report. Similar reports were previously filed pursuant to the Board's March 23, 2017 Decision and Order in EB-2016-0262.

Certain updated cost information contained in the report requires confidential treatment until financial close of the project, which is currently planned for October 18, 2019. Two of the project partners – Fortis and Algonquin – are publicly traded. Upon financial close, they will be disclosing this information to investors in accordance with their securities obligations. As such, WPLP requests that the updated project cost information in the report be treated confidentially on an interim basis until such time as we confirm that the investor releases have been issued. A public redacted version of the report, as well as a confidential unredacted copy, are provided.

Yours truly,

Jonathan Myers

Enclosure

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