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Erin Smith
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Dear Ms. Smith:

**Re: EB-2019-0035 Festival Hydro Inc.
Application for 2020 Rates**

Pascale Duguay, the Ontario Energy Board's Manager of Applications, Natural Gas has been delegated authority under Section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* to make a decision on the 2020 Price Cap IR application filed by Festival Hydro Inc. on August 12, 2019.

Attached to this letter is a draft of the decision the delegated authority proposes to make based on the application and any subsequent updates or clarifications. All relevant information and updates to the application have either been provided to you earlier by OEB staff or are now being sent to you in this draft decision.

Please review the decision and provide any comments. Please also review the accompanying draft Rate Order for accuracy and completeness. Any comments are to be provided no later than December 5, 2019.

The Manager of Applications, Natural Gas will consider your comments, if any, provided they have been received by the deadline, and issue a final decision and rate order in due course.

Any questions relating to this letter should be directed to Kelli Benincasa at Kelli.Benincasa@oeb.ca or at 416-440-7624. The Board's toll-free number is 1-888-632-6273.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Christine E. Long
Registrar and Board Secretary