

**Niagara Reinforcement Limited Partnership**

**Application for 2020-2024 Transmission Rates**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1**

**December 18, 2019**

Niagara Reinforcement Limited Partnership (NRLP) filed a revenue cap incentive rate-setting application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on October 25, 2019 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, Schedule B. NRLP is seeking approval of the revenue requirement for each year commencing January 1, 2020 and through to December 31, 2024.

A Notice of Hearing was issued on November 27, 2019. No parties applied for intervenor status.

**Interrogatories**

At this time, provision will be made for written interrogatories. OEB staff should not engage in detailed exploration of items that do not appear to be material. OEB staff should use the materiality thresholds documented in Chapter 2 of the *Filing Requirements For Electricity Transmission Applications* as a guide.

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

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

1. OEB staff shall request any relevant information and documentation from NRLP that is in addition to the evidence already filed, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and served on NRLP, by **January 10, 2020**.
2. NRLP shall file with the OEB complete written responses to all interrogatories by **January 24, 2020**.

All filings to the OEB must quote the file number, **EB-2018-0275**, be made in searchable/unrestricted PDF format electronically through the OEB's web portal at <https://pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice>. 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 <https://www.oeb.ca/industry>. If the web portal is not available parties may email their documents to the address below. Those who do not have computer access are required to file seven paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary 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 [Andrew.Bishop@oeb.ca](mailto:Andrew.Bishop@oeb.ca).

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**DATED** at Toronto, December 18, 2019

### **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

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