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Dear Ms Ouanouou :

## Re: Resolute FP Canada Inc. (Resolute) Application Pursuant to Section 35 of the *Electricity Act, 1998* Ontario Energy Board: File No.: EB-2019-0206

We are in receipt of your letter filed today on behalf of the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) requesting an extension of the deadline for the filing of the IESO's evidence until a reasonable period of time following the delivery of Resolute's evidence.

The OEB is denying the extension request. Procedural Order No. 3 (PO 3) provided an opportunity for any party and OEB staff to file evidence relevant to the issues in this proceeding by December 20, 2019. The OEB does not consider it necessary for the IESO to review Resolute's evidence before submitting its own evidence. PO 3 also provides for interrogatories and interrogatory responses, and all parties and OEB staff have the opportunity to request any relevant information with respect to evidence filed by any party or OEB staff through that interrogatory process.

Please direct any questions related to this application to Michael Bell, Project Advisor, at (416) 440-7688, or <u>michael.bell@oeb.ca</u>.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Christine E. Long Registrar