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BY E-MAIL ONLY

June 16, 2008

Deborah Curcio
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Dear Ms. Curcio:

Re: Optimal Technologies (US) Inc. – Request for Observer Status – Hydro One Network Inc. 2008 Rates Case - Board File No. EB-2007-0681

The Board acknowledges receipt of your letter/Email of June 3, 2008 and grants you Observer status in the above matter.

As an Observer you will automatically receive all Board issued documents. Should you desire any documents issued by any other party to the proceeding, including the Applicant and Intervenors, you will be required to contact directly the party from whom you wish the documents. As well, you may be required to pay for the cost of the duplication and delivery of these documents.

Yours truly,

Original Signed by

John Pickernell Assistant Board Secretary

cc: Glen E. MacDonald

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