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Ms. Christine E. Long Registrar and Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street, 27<sup>th</sup> Floor Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

RE: 2021 Cost of Service Application - EB 2020-0005

Dear Ms. Long

Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation ("Bluewater") is scheduled to file a rebasing application for rates effective January 1, 2021, and has a filing date of April 30, 2020. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, Bluewater has had to reallocate resources within our company to address key staffing, operational and customer issues. As a result, we do not anticipate being able to meet the filing date of April 30, 2020.

Bluewater is respectfully requesting an extension until June 30, 2020 to file the 2021 rebasing application. It is possible that, depending upon how circumstances unfold during these unprecedented times, Bluewater may not be able to achieve even that requested delayed filing deadline but we will provide timely updates to the OEB if a further extension must be requested.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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