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EB-2019-0206

Resolute FP Canada Inc.

# Application by Resolute FP Canada Inc. for an order directing the Independent Electricity System Operator to amend the Market Rules relating to the qualifications for participating in Demand Response Auctions

# NOTICE OF DISCONTINUANCE & COSTS ORDER April 3, 2020

On August 7, 2019, Resolute FP Canada Inc. (Resolute) applied to the Ontario Energy Board (OEB), pursuant to section 35 of the Electricity Act, 1998, for an order directing the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) to amend sections 18.2.1 and 19.2.1 of Chapter 7 of the IESO's Market Rules (Application). These market rules address the qualifications for participating in the IESO's Demand Response Auctions.

In its Application, Resolute asked that it be eligible to recover its costs of the Application. An intervenor, the Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario (AMPCO), also requested cost award eligibility.

On February 5, 2020, the OEB issued its Decision on Cost Responsibility and Cost Eligibility in which the OEB determined that the IESO would be responsible for the costs of this proceeding and that Resolute and AMPCO are not eligible for cost awards.

On April 1, 2020, Resolute filed a letter stating that Resolute and the IESO have agreed to settle the matter and, as a result, that Resolute is withdrawing its Application.

The OEB accepts Resolute's withdrawal of its Application and is therefore giving notice that this proceeding is being discontinued.

It is necessary to make provisions for the following matters related to this proceeding:

### THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 30 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* the IESO shall pay the OEB's costs of and incidental to this proceeding immediately upon receipt of the OEB's invoice.

### DATED at Toronto, April 3, 2020

#### **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Original signed by

Christine E. Long Registrar and Board Secretary