

September 15, 2020

Christine Long, Registrar and Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319, 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1F4

Dear Mr. Long:

Re: PUC Distribution Inc. – COVID-19 Foregone Revenue Rate Rider Model

On August 6, 2020, the OEB issued its COVID-19 Foregone Revenue Rate Rider Model along with additional guidance on completion of this model for those distributors who elected to defer implementation of their May 1, 2020 rates. The COVID-19 Foregone Revenue Rate Rider Model is intended to collect the foregone revenue for the period of May 1, 2020 to October 31, 2020. The OEB proposed either a 6 or 12 month option starting November 1, 2020.

PUC Distribution Inc. ("PUC") has completed the model with a 12 month recovery period, however are seeking an alternative treatment to the collection of foregone revenues. PUC would like to implement a 24 month recovery period starting November 1, 2020 and ending October 31, 2022. PUC continues to work with customers during these difficult times and given the continuing state of the COVID-19 pandemic that this option is in the best interest of our customers.

Sincerely,

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