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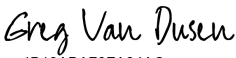
Dear Ms. Long:

**Subject: Hydro Ottawa Limited (“Hydro Ottawa”)
Custom Incentive Rate-Setting (“Custom IR”) Application for 2021-2025 Electricity
Distribution Rates and Charges – Argument-in-Chief**

Pursuant to Procedural Order No. 6 issued by the Board on September 4, 2020, Hydro Ottawa and intervenors (the “Parties”) submitted a Settlement Proposal on September 18, 2020. During the Settlement Conference, the Parties came to agreement on all matters, with the exception of one issue related to rate design, namely the fixed/variable proportion of Hydro Ottawa’s proposed rate design.

On October 2, 2020, the Board issued Procedural Order No. 8, which accepted the Settlement Proposal as filed. Procedural Order No. 8 further provided for a written hearing to address the unsettled issue. As such, please find attached Hydro Ottawa’s Argument-in-Chief related to the unsettled issue on rate design.

Yours truly,

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