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Ms. Christine E. Long
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Dear Ms. Long:

**Re: Independent Electricity System Operator
Interim Fees
2021 Expenditure, Fees and Revenue Requirement
Board File No.: EB-2020-0230**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) approved the Independent Electricity System Operator's (IESO) 2020 usage fees on an interim basis through OEB Decision on Interim Fees (EB-2019-0300) dated December 17, 2019.¹

It is the IESO's understanding as per Section 25(2) of the *Electricity Act, 1998*, that the IESO's current interim usage fees shall remain in effect until final usage fees are approved by the OEB. As the IESO has yet to receive Minister approval of its 2020-2022 Business Plan, it will continue to charge the approved interim fees to market participants in 2021.

If the OEB considers it necessary or appropriate to issue a further interim fee order for interim usage fees effective January 1, 2021, the IESO respectfully requests that this letter is seen as a formal request for approval to charge those interim usage fees effective January 1, 2021.

Please contact me directly at 416-957-3594 or Devon.Huber@ieso.ca if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Devon Huber
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cc: Mr. Fred Cass, Aird & Berlis (email)
Intervenors to EB-2019-0002 (email)

¹ EB-2019-0300, OEB Decision and Order, December 17, 2019