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**Re: Ontario Power Generation Inc. - 2022-2026 Payment Amounts Application
Pre-Application Stakeholder Conference
Late Cost Eligibility Request
Board File Number: EB-2020-0297**

On December 9, 2020, the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) issued an invitation letter for a pre-application stakeholder conference to receive input on OEB staff's draft hearing plan for Ontario Power Generation Inc.'s (OPG) upcoming 2022-2026 payment amount application. The invitation letter established December 11, 2020 as the deadline for stakeholders to advise the OEB of their intent to participate (and request cost eligibility).

By letter dated December 16, 2020, Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) filed a late request to participate in the pre-application stakeholder conference and sought cost eligibility for its participation.

OPG did not file an objection with respect to Energy Probe's request for cost eligibility.

The OEB grants Energy Probe's cost eligibility request for its participation in the pre-application stakeholder conference. This determination is being made by delegated authority under section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*. Energy Probe is directed to review the OEB's Decision on Cost Eligibility, dated December 15, 2020, under this file number for details regarding the cost awards process and timelines for filing its cost claim.

Yours truly,

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