



Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd.

**Application for electricity distribution rates effective
May 1, 2021**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1
January 7, 2021**

Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd. (Newmarket-Tay Power) filed an incentive rate-setting mechanism application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on November 23, 2020 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B) seeking approval for changes to its electricity distribution rates to be effective May 1, 2021.

A Notice of Hearing was issued on December 8, 2020. Each of School Energy Coalition (SEC), Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) and Consumers Council of Canada (CCC) applied for intervenor status and cost eligibility.

No objection was received from Newmarket-Tay Power.

SEC, VECC and CCC are approved as intervenors. SEC, VECC and CCC are eligible to apply for an award of costs under the OEB's *Practice Direction on Cost Awards* and only in relation to Newmarket-Tay Power's request for incremental capital funding and to refund to customers the balance in Account 1576 – Accounting Changes under CGAAP. The list of parties in this proceeding is attached as Schedule A to this Procedural Order.

Cost eligible intervenors should be aware that the OEB will not generally allow the recovery of costs for the attendance of more than one representative of any party, unless a compelling reason is provided when cost claims are filed.

Being eligible to apply for recovery of costs is not a guarantee of recovery of any costs claimed. Cost awards are made by way of OEB order at the end of a hearing.

It is necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. OEB staff and intervenors shall request any relevant information and documentation from Newmarket-Tay Power that is in addition to the evidence already filed, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and served on Newmarket-Tay Power and all other parties by **January 21, 2021**.
2. Newmarket-Tay Power shall file with the OEB complete written responses to the interrogatories and serve them on all intervenors by **February 4, 2021**.
3. Any written submissions by OEB staff and intervenors shall be filed with the OEB and served on all other parties by **February 18, 2021**.
4. If Newmarket-Tay Power wishes to file a reply submission, it must file its written reply submission with the OEB, and serve it on intervenors by **March 4, 2021**.

Parties are responsible for ensuring that any documents they file with the OEB must not include personal information (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's *Rules of Practice and Procedure*.

All materials filed with the OEB must quote the file number, **EB-2020-0041**, and be submitted in a searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the OEB's web portal at <https://pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice>. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the [Regulatory Electronic Submission System \(RESS\) Document Guidelines](#) found at www.oeb.ca/industry. We encourage the use of RESS; however, parties who have not yet [set up an account](#), may email their documents to registrar@oeb.ca.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar at the address below and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Katherine Wang at Katherine.Wang@oeb.ca and OEB Counsel, James Sidlofsky at James.Sidlofsky@oeb.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, **January 7, 2021**

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Christine E. Long

Original signed by

Christine E. Long
Registrar

SCHEDULE A
PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1
NEWMARKET-TAY POWER DISTRIBUTION LTD.
EB-2020-0041
APPLICANT & LIST OF INTERVENORS

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