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## **BY RESS**

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Ms. Christine Long Registrar Ontario Energy Board 27th Floor - 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Long:

## Re: EB-2020-0290 Application by Ontario Power Generation Inc. For 2022-2026 Payment Amounts (the "Application") Presentation Prior to the Oral Hearing

Ontario Power Generation Inc. ("OPG") is writing to request an opportunity to present an overview of its application to the Ontario Energy Board Panel ("OEB Panel") assigned to this proceeding. This virtual presentation would introduce the major issues in OPG's Application over the course of approximately an hour and a half. While scheduling the presentation prior to interrogatories would be appropriate, OPG submits that any time prior to the oral hearing would be effective.

OPG notes that the requested presentation is consistent with the format and timing of the presentation OPG made in EB-2016-0152, where the assigned OEB Panel received an untranscribed presentation of the application prior to interrogatories. Parties to the proceeding as well as OEB staff attended that presentation, but were not permitted to ask questions.

Members of OPG's executive team would deliver the presentation. They would provide an overview of OPG's strategic direction in the context of the Application and answer any clarifying questions from the OEB Panel.

OPG submits that a presentation would be particularly useful for this Application. The five years covered by OPG's Application encompass a transformational period for OPG as it completes the Darlington Refurbishment Program and the planned safe, optimized shutdown of the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station. At the end of OPG's 2022-2026 rate-setting term, OPG will be a substantially different company. The presentation will provide the OEB Panel with an introduction to the issues associated with this transformation as well as other significant issues addressed in the Application.

Should the OEB require any further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Respectfully submitted,

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