

March 24, 2021

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via e-mail

Dear Ms. Long

Re: EB-2020-0187 Amending Licences of Electricity Distributors to Provide a Temporary Exemption from Section 5.1.3 (b) of the Distribution System Code

Section 5.1.3 (b) of the Distribution System Code ("DSC") came into force on May 21, 2014 and requires that all distributors install a Metering Inside Settlement Time ("MIST") meter on existing customer facilities where the customer has a monthly average peak demand during a calendar year of over 50kW by no later than August 21, 2020.

In response to the operational impacts related to the COVID-19 emergency, several distributors filed applications with the OEB seeking temporary relief from the requirements to meet the August 21, 2020 effective date under section 5.1.3 (b). On July 23, 2020 the Ontario Energy Board ("OEB") issued a Decision and Order amending the licences of all electricity distributors such that they were exempted from having to comply with section 5.1.3(b) of the DSC until March 31, 2021.

Elexicon Energy Inc. ("Elexicon") has been working diligently to meet the deadline and expects it will have fully installed all of the necessary MIST metering with the exception of 4 services which require a rare single phase meter that is currently on order with the manufacturer. Elexicon expects that it will take several months for these meters to arrive, and to have them installed. As a result, Elexicon is requesting an extension until July 30th, 2021 to comply with section 5.1.3(b) of the DSC.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours

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