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Independent Electricity System Operator
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Dear Mr. Huber:

Re: **Hydro One Networks Inc.**
Leave to Construct Application – Hawthorne Merivale Reconductoring
Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2020-0265

In Procedural Order No. 4, the OEB set out the deadlines for written submissions from OEB staff and intervenors, and for a reply submission, if any, from the applicant, Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One), in this proceeding.

The Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) is one of the intervenors. On March 25, 2020, the IESO filed a letter requesting OEB approval to provide a reply submission on the need for the Hawthorne by Merivale reconductoring project and the solution required to address the need. In the normal course, only the applicant would have the right to file a reply.

The OEB grants the IESO's request. Both the IESO and Hydro One are required to file their reply submissions, if any, on or before March 30, 2021.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Christine E. Long
Registrar

c: All Parties in EB-2020-0265