

April 6, 2021

## **EMAIL & RESS**

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

Dear Ms. Long:

## Re: Wataynikaneyap Power LP – Pending Revenue Requirement Application; Wataynikaneyap Transmission Project Semi-Annual Reporting (EB-2018-0190)

WPLP intends to file its first transmission rate application before the end of April 2021 and requests that the OEB assign a file number for this application.

Further, WPLP indicated in its October 15, 2020 semi-annual report on CWIP Account and Backup Supply Arrangements for the Wataynikaneyap Transmission Project that it intended to file complete details of its updated project costs and variance analysis as part of its first transmission rate application. In a reply letter dated November 3, 2020, the OEB requested that WPLP provide complete details of updated project costs and variance analysis in its April 2021 semi-annual report, unless its rate application had previously been filed. WPLP has prepared the required variance analysis, which it intends to include in its rate application since the overall application will provide important context to both cost and schedule variances. Given that WPLP's rate application will be filed in the same month as its April 2021 semi-annual report, WPLP believes this approach addresses the essence of the OEB's November 3 request.

Sincerely,

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cc: Michael Price, OEB Project Advisor (via email)

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