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BY EMAIL

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Ms. Lenore Robson  
Policy Advisor  
Ontario Energy Board  
Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street  
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Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Robson,

**EB-2021-0118 – Framework for Energy Innovation: Distributed Resources and Utility Incentives – Change to Working Group Member Nomination**

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On May 10, 2021, the Ontario Energy Board (“OEB”) issued a letter which indicated membership of the OEB’s Framework for Energy Innovation Working Group (FEIWG), as well as, a Terms of Reference (ToR) that sets out the objectives, deliverables, roles and responsibilities of relevant parties. Hydro One was pleased to see its inclusion on the membership for the FEIWG and looks forward to contributing to this important initiative. Upon further review of the OEB’s letter and the ToR for the FEIWG, Hydro One wishes to revise its proposed nominee for the FEIWG.

Hydro One nominates Spencer Gill, Vice President, Customer Service for participation in the FEIWG. Mr. Gill has over 20 years of experience in the energy sector, 12 of which have been with Hydro One in roles that include Director of External Relations, Director of Key Account Management and Strategic Advisor to the President & CEO. Throughout his tenure at Hydro One Mr. Gill has garnered a deep understanding of the business, and its customers.

In his current role, Mr. Gill is accountable for managing Hydro One’s key account managers who are the dedicated points of contact between Hydro One and its large distribution and transmission-connected customers, as well as, other electricity distributors. Mr. Gill’s team works hand-in-hand with customers and Hydro One’s investment planning team to facilitate the connection and integration of third party DER’s to Hydro One’s grid. These interactions provide Mr. Gill with knowledge of the use cases for DERs that are currently connected to Hydro One, as well as, emerging trends in customer needs and preferences. Hydro One believes that Mr. Gill’s experience affords him a unique customer-centric, utility perspective that would be of value to the FEIWG.

Hydro One had initially nominated Michael Medeiros, Manager, Distribution Investment Planning for participation in the FEIWG. Hydro One anticipates that Mr. Medeiros will be able to participate on its behalf in any applicable sub-groups established by the FEIWG, as per the ToR. In the interim, Mr. Gill will be able to leverage the perspectives of Hydro One's investment planning team, including Mr. Medeiros, through the day-to-day interactions between their teams.

Hydro One appreciates the OEB's consideration in the matter and looks forward to participating in this important proceeding. Please do not hesitate to contact me directly or Mr. Gill at [Spencer.Gill@hydroone.com](mailto:Spencer.Gill@hydroone.com) if you have any further questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Frank D'Andrea".

Frank D'Andrea

CC: Ceiran Bishop, Director - Strategic Policy, OEB