

BY EMAIL

May 19, 2021

Tyler Kasubeck Rates and Regulatory Affairs Officer 598 Second Avenue Espanola ON P5E 1C4

Dear Mr. Kasubeck:

Re: Espanola Regional Hydro Distribution Corporation (Espanola Regional Hydro) 2021 Cost of Service Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2020-0020

Procedural Order No. 1 made provision to hold a settlement conference between parties and OEB staff and tentatively scheduled May 25, 2021 for Espanola Regional Hydro to present to the OEB any settlement proposal and a summary of any unsettled issues.

On May 10, 2021, Espanola Regional Hydro filed a settlement proposal with the OEB and responses to pre-settlement conference clarification questions. The settlement proposal reflects a complete settlement on the issues. On May 17, 2021, OEB staff provided its submission on the settlement proposal.

The OEB has reviewed the settlement proposal and does not find it necessary to have the settlement proposal presented. The presentation of the settlement proposal on May 25, 2021 is cancelled.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Christine E. Long Registrar

C: All parties