

INTERIM DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2021-0143

UNIFIED ENERGY SERVICES, LLC

Application for an Electricity Retailer Licence for Large Volume Consumers Only

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Brian Hewson Vice President

Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

May 20, 2021

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Unified Energy Services, LLC filed an application on April 20, 2021, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) pursuant to section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (OEB Act), for a renewal of its electricity retailer licence for large volume consumers.

Unified Energy Services, LLC's electricity retailer licence for large volume consumers ER-2015-0357 expired on March 16, 2021. In order for the applicant to retail to large volume consumers in Ontario, the applicant requires an electricity retailer licence for large volume consumers pursuant to section 57 of the OEB Act.

Considering the time required to process an application in accordance with the OEB's established practice and procedures, and considering the applicant's need for a licence to carry out activities as an electricity retailer, the OEB finds it expedient to extend the term of the existing licence, pending the final disposition of the matter. This Decision and Order does not constitute a final decision on the application. The granting of this extension is without prejudice to any future compliance actions regarding Unified Energy Services, LLC operating without a licence.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

The term of Unified Energy Services, LLC electricity retailer licence to large volume consumers ER-2015-0357 is extended on an interim basis until November 1, 2021, or until the final determination of the electricity retailer licence application, whichever is earlier. The conditions of licence remain unchanged.

DATED at Toronto May 20, 2021

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance