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VIA RESS

Ms. Christine E. Long
Registrar
ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD
P.O. Box 2319, 27th Floor
2300 Yonge Street
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Dear Ms. Long:

Re: EB-2020-0284: Bruce Power L.P. (Bruce Power) Leave to Construct (LTC) a Proposed Pipeline.

The Board issued a *Decision and Order* in the captioned matter on December 17th, 2020, granting Bruce Power leave to construct a proposed hydrocarbon pipeline and ancillary facilities (Pipeline). The Board's approval includes a number of conditions. Two of those conditions are that;

1. Bruce Power complete a safety assessment to demonstrate no incremental risks from the Project as agreed with Ontario Power Generation (OPG); and
2. Bruce Power provide an update to the OEB once the revised Project cost estimate and schedule are confirmed.

In respect of the first of these conditions, by letter dated March 12, 2021 OPG has confirmed that all hazards related to construction of the Pipeline have been screened out and it has been concluded that the existing safety case for the relevant OPG facilities remains "bounding" (i.e. appropriate).

In respect of the second of these conditions, a new construction schedule has now been confirmed with EPCOR Commercial Services (EPCOR CS) for the period from August 23rd to November 2nd, 2021, and a construction agreement has been executed at a target price of \$3.220 million. This price represents what the parties have agreed is a reasonable forecasted cost for the project. This pricing reflects a conservative forecast which, relative to earlier cost forecasts (~\$2.120 million at the time of filing of Bruce Power's application herein in November, 2020) follows a more thorough review by EPCOR CS of the various services associated with the utility corridor on site in which the Pipeline will be constructed and the additional safety related documentation that EPCOR CS has since completed.

There is no change to the planned route for the Pipeline.

Yours truly,



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