



July 27, 2021

Ms. Christine Long
Registrar and Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
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Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. New Affiliate Transmission Projects Deferral Account
AMPCO Interrogatories
Board File No. EB-2021-0169

Dear Ms. Long:

Attached please find AMPCO's interrogatories in the above proceeding.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Colin Anderson".

Colin Anderson
President
Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario

Copy to: Hydro One Networks Inc.

EB-2021-0169

Hydro One Networks Inc.

**Application for an accounting order to establish a new
regulatory account effective May 28, 2021**

**AMPCO Interrogatories
July 27, 2021**

AMPCO-1

Ref: Amended ATP Account P2

The evidence states “Through IESO’s planning process, Hydro One, as a lead transmitter, may receive a letter from the IESO identifying a need for transmission infrastructure. From time to time the Ministry will direct Hydro One to develop, or develop and construct, a new transmission line.”

- a) Please provide a list of transmission infrastructure projects identified by the IESO and Ministry for Hydro One over the past ten years.
- b) How has Hydro One been tracking development and construction costs to date for the above types of projects?
- c) Please identify the projects in part a) that were subsequently cancelled.
- d) For each of the cancelled projects, please provide the nature of the costs and total amounts recovered by Hydro One.

AMPCO-2

Ref: Amended ATP Account P2

Hydro One indicates it will record costs in the manner consistent with B2M LP and NRLP which only comprise the development and lines costs associated with those projects.

- a) Please explain the above process to record costs.
- b) Please distinguish lines costs from station costs.

AMPCO-3

Ref: Amended ATP Account P4

Once a project meets Hydro One's capitalization policy criteria, expenditures will be recorded in the ATP Account – Sub-Account Project Construction Costs.

- a) Please provide Hydro One's capitalization policy criteria.
- b) Please identify any expenditures post capitalization that are not eligible for inclusion in the ATP Account – Sub-Account Project Construction Costs.

AMPCO-4

Ref: Amended ATP Account Page 7

Hydro One indicates the costs to be recorded are for activities that are necessary for developing the project and obtaining required approvals, including putting Hydro One in a position to file an application for leave to construct.

- a) Please provide a breakdown of the key activities that are necessary for developing the project that will be tracked in the Deferral Sub-account.
- b) Please provide the percentage of total project costs typically allocated to the development phase.

AMPCO-5

Ref: Amended ATP Account Page 8

Hydro One is seeking OEB approval to use the ATP Account for: (i) the Chatham to Lakeshore Transmission Line, (ii) the Waasigan Transmission Reinforcement, (iii) the Chatham to Lambton Transmission Line, and (iv) any other similar-type projects that qualify by meeting the criteria as discussed above.

- a) Please provide the start date and end date for each project.
- b) Please provide the estimated length of the development phase and construction phase for each project.
- c) Please provide the estimated development costs and construction costs for each project.