

April 14, 2022

via email

Registrar Ontario Energy Board 27th Floor 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4 <u>Registrar@oeb.ca</u>

Re: Nomination to Reliability and Power Quality Review Working Group EB-2021-0307

Elexicon Energy Inc. ("Elexicon") is pleased to nominate Mr. Muhammad Usman Khalid, Elexicon's Manager, Asset Management, Planning, and Connections, to participate in the Reliability and Power Quality Review Working Group ("RPQR WG") referenced in the Board's March 31, 2022 letter.

Elexicon is the fourth largest municipally-owned electricity distributor in Ontario and operates a geographically dispersed distribution network serving more than 170,000 urban, suburban and rural customers over an area of 787 square kilometres.

Mr. Khalid is a licensed professional engineer in the Province of Ontario with over 10 years of experience in asset management, distribution system planning, reliability engineering, and asset analytics. As a Certified Asset Management Assessor for ISO 55001, he has extensive experience in preparing short-term and long-term (5-years) distribution system plans and advising utilities about proven data management strategies that can improve network reliability (both at feeder and station levels).

Mr. Khalid has attained a Masters of Electrical and Computer Engineering from the University of Waterloo with a specialization in Power Systems and Sustainable Energy. He is also an author of multiple conference research papers on energy conservation, distributed energy resources, and electric vehicles published in reputed IEEE conferences. He currently sits and represents Elexicon in various technical working groups and committees such as IESO Transmission-Distribution Coordination Working Group ("TDWG"), Electricity Canada Joint Use Practice and Policy Committee ("JUPPC"), CEATI Distribution Line Asset Management ("DLAM") and several other committees under Electricity Distribution Association ("EDA") and Utility Standards Forum ("USF").

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Thank you for your consideration of our nomination. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Sincerely,

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