

BY E-MAIL

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LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Hesselink:

Re: EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario Inc. (EPCOR Electricity Distribution

Ontario)

Application for 2023 Electricity Distribution Rates Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2022-0028

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued its Notice of Hearing for EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario's application for 2023 Electricity Distribution Rates (Notice). The Notice will be published by the OEB, in accordance with directions to the OEB's media agent which were copied to you. Please note that you must comply with the directions in paragraphs 1 through 4 below **prior to June 23, 2022**, which is the publication date of the newspaper in which the Notice will appear last. If you are unable to comply with the directions within this timeframe, you must inform the Registrar immediately at registrar@oeb.ca.

You are directed:

- 1. To arrange for the service of the enclosed Notice, the application and the evidence, directly on all intervenors of record in EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario's previous cost of service rate proceeding, EB-2012-0116.
- 2. To post a copy of the enclosed Notice, the application and the evidence and any amendments thereto on EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario's website.
- 3. To arrange for the service of the enclosed Notice, in the exact form accompanying this letter by email on any customers for which EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario has an email address and appropriate permissions to use the email address to send utility or regulatory information with the following email message:
 - i. "EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario Inc. has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to increase our electricity distribution rates. Please

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review the Ontario Energy Board's Notice of Hearing to learn more and to find out how you can participate in the Ontario Energy Board's hearing." The email must provide a live link to the Notice posted on EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario's website.

- 4. If EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario has a twitter account, once the Notice is posted on EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario's website, in accordance with paragraph 2, to tweet the following message: "We have applied to the @OntEnergyBoard to increase our electricity distribution rates. Learn more. Have your say." The tweet is required to provide a live link to the Notice posted on EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario's website.
- 5. To file with the OEB an affidavit proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 through 4 above immediately thereafter.
- 6. To provide a copy of the Notice, application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, to anyone requesting the material.

You are further directed not to include any documents or materials when serving the Notice other than documents or materials expressly required by this letter of direction to be served.

Yours truly,

Nancy Marconi Registrar

Encl.

cc: Daniela O'Callaghan, EPCOR Utilities Inc. Richard King, Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP