

DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2022-0082

ELLWOOD ENERGY STORAGE LP

Application for an Electricity Storage Licence

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Brian Hewson

Vice President

Consumer Protection & Industry Performance

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Ellwood Energy Storage LP (Ellwood) filed an application on April 27, 2022, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) pursuant to section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act,* 1998 (OEB Act), for an electricity storage licence.

This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority, pursuant to Section 6 of the OEB Act. The Delegated Authority has considered the application without holding a hearing pursuant to section 6(4) of the OEB Act.

Ellwood owns and operates an 8.8 MW battery storage facility located at 3025 Albion Road N., Ottawa, Ontario, which has been in commercial operation since 2019.

The applicant failed to renew its previous electricity storage licence ES-2016-0216 before it expired on August 24, 2021. The applicant has been operating without a licence in contravention of section 57 of the OEB Act from August 24, 2021, to February 14, 2022, when an interim licence was issued.

After considering the application and assessing technical capability and financial viability of the applicant, the OEB finds that it is in the public interest to grant the application and issue the electricity storage licence to Ellwood Energy Storage LP. The electricity storage licence is granted without prejudice with regard to any future compliance actions in relation to its operating without a licence. The applicant is reminded that it carries the onus of filing an application in a timely manner considering the OEB's typical timelines for processing licence applications.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The application is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

DATED at Toronto July 7, 2022

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original Signed By

Brian Hewson Vice President, Consumer Protection & Industry Performance