# **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* Schedule B to the *Energy Competition Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15;

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an Application by Toronto Hydro Electric System Limited for an Order or Orders approving or fixing just and reasonable rates and other service charges for the distribution of electricity effective January 1, 2023.

## NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

## OF THE

# SCHOOL ENERGY COALITION

- 1. The School Energy Coalition ("SEC") applies for intervenor status in this proceeding.
- 2. SEC is a frequent intervenor in Board proceedings. Our current Annual Filing can be found on the Board's website, here:

#### https://www.rds.oeb.ca/CMWebDrawer/Record/737250/File/document

3. The School Energy Coalition intends to apply for recovery of its costs reasonably incurred in the course of its intervention in this matter. SEC has participated in many past natural gas and electricity proceedings in Ontario, including consultations, rate cases, and other processes and hearings, and has been found eligible to be paid its reasonably incurred costs in all of those proceedings.

#### Issues to be Addressed

- 4. SEC's intended participation will include the following:
  - a. The Applicant's proposed new Capital-Related Revenue Requirement Variance Account subaccount, to track depreciation impacts related to expected changes to the financial useful lives of its capital assets; and
  - b. Generally, to represent the interests of school boards and their students in this process.

#### **The Intervenor's Intended Participation**

5. SEC intends to participate in any pre-hearing procedures, including interrogatories or technical conferences, and settlement conferences. SEC also intends to participate in any oral hearings of this matter, and in written or oral submissions, as well as any other parts of the process that the Board should order. While SEC does not currently intend to file evidence in this proceeding, it reserves its right to do so depending on the responses to interrogatories and any other discovery processes ordered by the Board.

## **Nature of Hearing Requested**

6. SEC believes a written is appropriate in this proceeding.

## Counsel/Representative

- 7. SEC requests that a copy of all documents filed with the Board by each party to this proceeding be served on the intervenor, and on the intervenor's counsel, as follows:
  - a. School Energy Coalition: (electronic copies only)

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Respectfully, submitted on behalf of the School Energy Coalition this September 30, 2022.

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