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LETTER OF DIRECTION

Dear Mr. Palimaka and Ms. Dugas:

Re: Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation (Bluewater Power)
2023 Cost of Service Application

Ontario Energy Board File Number: EB-2022-0016

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) has now issued its Notice of Hearing for Bluewater Power's 2023 Cost of Service Application (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 November 19, 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 post a copy of the Notice, the application and evidence, and any amendments thereto, on Bluewater Power's website.
- 2. To arrange for the service of the enclosed Notice, in the exact form accompanying this letter and the application and the evidence, directly on:
 - i. intervenors in Bluewater Power's last cost of service application (EB-2012-0107).

- ii. customers for whom Bluewater Power has an email address and the appropriate permissions to use the email address to send utility or regulatory information with the following email message: "Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to increase our electricity distribution rates. Please 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 include the words "Notice of Hearing" within the email message and provide a live link to the Notice that is posted on Bluewater Power's website.
- iii. Hydro One Networks Inc.
- 3. If Bluewater Power has a twitter account, once the Notice is posted on Bluewater Power's website, in accordance with paragraph 1, 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 that is posted on Bluewater Power's website.
- 4. To file with the OEB an affidavit proving completion of the matters in paragraphs 1 through 3 above immediately thereafter.
- 5. 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.

c: Michael Buonaguro, Barrister and Solicitor