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March 28, 2023

Ms. Nancy Marconi
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Dear Ms. Marconi:

Re: Elexicon Energy Inc.

Z-Factor Event Application
Confidentiality Request Response Letter

Ontario Energy Board (OEB) File Number: EB-2022-0317

Elexicon Energy Inc. (Elexicon Energy) filed interrogatory responses on March 22, 2023, in accordance with Procedural Order No.1.

In its cover letter to the interrogatory responses, Elexicon Energy requested confidential treatment for the forecast Return on Equity (ROE) for 2022<sup>1</sup> pursuant to Rules 10.01 and 10.02 of the OEB's *Rules of Practice and Procedure*.

OEB staff does not oppose this request because the same information was held to be confidential in Elexicon Energy's 2023 distribution rates proceeding.<sup>2</sup> However, OEB staff notes that in addition to the forecast 2022 ROE, OEB staff requested for calculations supporting the forecast 2022 ROE.<sup>3</sup> The calculations were not provided in Elexicon Energy's response on a confidential basis.

Elexicon Energy noted that Elexicon Energy will file its actual 2022 ROE on a regulated basis as part of the Reporting and Record Keeping Requirements (RRR) filing,<sup>4</sup> which is to be filed by May 1, 2023. OEB staff requests confirmation from Elexicon Energy that

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Staff-07

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> EB-2022-0024, Procedural Order No. 4 and Decision on Confidentiality, February 8, 2023

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Staff-07

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Ibid.

the actual 2022 ROE will be placed on the public record of this proceeding upon filing its RRR with the OEB.

Yours truly,

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c: Parties to EB-2022-0317