



EB-2008-0089

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

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Trilliant
Inc. for a smart sub-metering licence.

By delegation, before: Jennifer Lea

DECISION AND ORDER

Trilliant Inc. filed an application dated April 18, 2008 with the Ontario Energy Board under section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the “Act”) for a smart sub-metering licence.

The Board’s Notice of Application and Written Hearing for a smart sub-metering licence was published on May 16, 2008. No parties responded to the Notice of Application and Written Hearing.

The applicant is engaged in smart sub-metering activities, as prescribed by Ontario Regulation 443/07—*Licensing Sub-Metering Activities* (made under the Act). This regulation came into force on December 31, 2007.

Pending the final disposition of the matter, the Board issued an interim order on May 8, 2008 under sections 21(7) and 6(4) of the Act granting a short-term smart sub-metering licence to the applicant.

After considering the application, it has been found to be in the public interest to issue the smart sub-metering licence under Part V of the Act. The standard term for a sub-metering licence is five years. However, I am issuing this smart sub-metering licence for a period of one year. There were certain aspects of this application that gave me

cause for concern. I expect that the applicant will use the next year to demonstrate that it is a reliable participant in the electricity market. I also expect that the applicant will develop an improved business and financial plan over the next year and file that plan with its next application for a smart sub-metering licence.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The application for a smart sub-metering licence is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.
2. The applicant shall file a business and financial plan with the Board as part of its next smart sub-metering licence application.

DATED at Toronto, August 22, 2008.

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

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