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November 22, 2007

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
PO Box 2319
2300 Yonge St, 27th Floor
Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc. – 2008 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (2008 IRM) Rate Mechanism Board File No. EB-2007-0881

Further to your instructions in your Letter of Direction, enclosed is our Affidavit of Proof of Service for the 2008 Rate Application for Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

Cheryl Decaire

Coordinator Regulatory and Rates

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Chatham Kent Hydro for a Final Order.

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Cheryl Decaire of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, in the Province of Ontario, make oath and say as follows:

- 1. I am the Co-ordinator of Regulatory and Rates employed by Chatham-Kent Utility Services Inc. and as such have knowledge of the matters hereinafter deposed to.
- 2. On November 21 2007, I caused the Notice of Application, attached as Exhibit "A" hereto, to be published in the Chatham Daily News by sending a copy of the Notice of Application by facsimile to the Chatham Daily News.
- 3. Chatham Kent Hydro is not a Host Distributor therefore we were not required to inform any Embedded Distributor(s).
- 4. A copy of the Application is available for public perusal at 320 Queen Street, Chatham, Ontario.

SWORN BEFORE ME at the City of

Chatham in the Province of Ontario this 21 day of November, 2007

Carol Holling

Commissioner of Oath

Chervl Decaire

Co-ordinator of Regulatory and Rates

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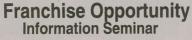
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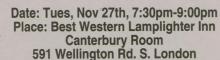
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING FOR AN **ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION RATE CHANGE**

The Ontario Energy Board has received an application on November 01, 2007 under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15 (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes to the rates that Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc. charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2008. The Board has assigned the application file number EB-2007-0881. The Board's decision on this application may have an effect on all of Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc.'s customers.

Any change to the rates that Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc. charges for electricity distribution will be reflected in the delivery charges. Delivery charges are one of four regular items on residential and general service customers' electricity bills and vary depending on the amount of electricity consumed.

Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc. indicates that if the application is approved as filed, a residential customer consuming 1,000 kWh per month would experience an approximate change in the electricity bill ranging from a decrease of 2.5% to an increase of 5.4%, depending on their rate zone. A small general service customer consuming 2,000 kWh per month and having a monthly demand of 50 kW or lower would see an approximate 0.5% decrease in the electricity bill.

How to see Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc.'s Application
Copies of the application are available for inspection at the Board's office in Toronto and on its website, www.oeb.gov.on.ca, and at Chatham-Kent Hydro Inc.'s office.

How to Participate
You may participate in this proceeding in one of three ways:

of intervention to the applicant.

1. Send a Letter with your Comments to the Board Your letter with comments will be provided to the Board members deciding the application, and will be part of the public record for the application. Your letter must be received by the Board no later than 30 days from the publication or service date of this notice. The Board accepts letters of comment by either post or e-mail at the addresses below.

Observers do not actively participate in the proceeding but monitor the progress of the proceeding by receiving documents

issued by the Board.
You may request observer status in order to receive documents issued by the Board in this proceeding. If you become an observer, you need to contact the applicant and others in order to receive documents that they file in this proceeding and they may charge you for this. Most documents filed in this application will also be available on the Board's website. Your request for observer status must be made in writing and be received by the Board no later than 10 days from the publication or service date of this notice. The Board accepts observer request letters by either post or e-mail at the addresses below; however, two paper copies are also required. You must also provide a copy of your letter to the applicant.

Become an Intervenor
You may ask to become an intervenor if you wish to actively participate in the proceeding. Intervenors are eligible to receive evidence and other material submitted by participants in the hearing. Likewise, intervenors will be expected to send copies of any material they file to all parties to the hearing.
Your request for intervenor status must be made by letter of intervention and be received by the Board no later than 10 days from the publication or service date of this notice. Your letter of intervention must include a description of how you are, or may be, affected by the outcome of this proceeding; and if you represent a group, a description of the group and its membership. The Board may order costs in this proceeding. You must indicate in your letter of intervention whether you expect to seek costs from the applicant.

The Board intends to proceed with this application by way of written hearing. The Board will not hold a written hearing if a party satisfies the Board that there is good reason for holding an oral hearing. If you object to the Board holding a written hearing, your letter of intervention must include reasons why an oral hearing is necessary.

If you already have a user ID, please submit your intervention request through the Board's web portal at www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca. Additionally, two paper copies are required. If you do not have a user ID, please visit the Board's website under e-filings and fill out a user ID password request. For instructions on how to submit and naming conventions please refer to the RESS Document Guidelines found at www.oeb.gov.on.ca, e-filing Services. The Board also accepts interventions by e-mail, at the address below, and again, two additional paper copies are required. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit their intervention request on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper

How to Contact Us
In responding to this Notice, please include Board file number EB-2007-0881 in the subject line of your e-mail or at the top of your letter. It is also important that you provide your name, postal address and telephone number and, if available, an e-mail address and fax number. All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date

Need More Information?
Further information on how to participate may be obtained by visiting the Board's website at www.oeb.gov.on.ca or by calling our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727.

IMPORTANT IF YOU DO NOT FILE AN OBJECTION TO A WRITTEN HEARING OR DO NOT REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE, THE BOARD MAY PROCEED IN YOUR ABSENCE AND YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO ANY FURTHER NOTICE IN THIS PROCEEDING.

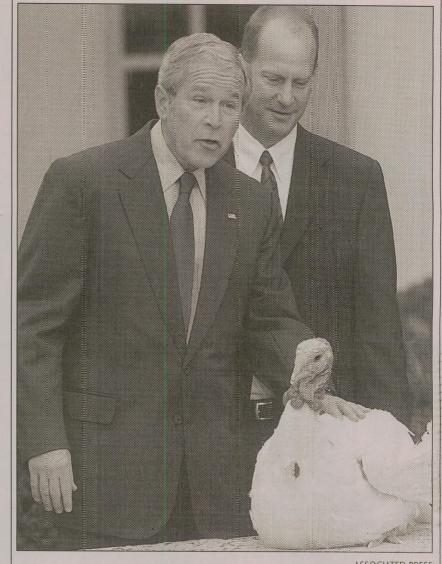
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DATED at Toronto, November 15, 2007 ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD Original Signed By Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary

Adult **GOOD TURKEY** Personals



President Bush pets May, the National Thanksgiving Turkey, as he pardons the bird during a ceremony in the Rose Garden of the White House in Washington, Tuesday. Behind him is Ted Seger of the National Turkey Federation.

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CROW - The family of the late Robert Crow would like to express heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbours for their calls. visits and acts of kindness. We would also like to thank Dr. Kumar, Dr. Licskel, Dr. lyer and Dr. Martha Clendenning and nursing staff on Progressive Care at CKHA. Thank you also to McKinlay Funeral Home staff, ladies of Ridgetown Legion for their hospitality, and Father Joseph Nevett. Special thanks to the Red Leaf Lane

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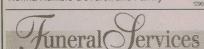
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CHANDLER, Norma - A funeral service was held from the Thomas L. DeBurge Funeral Home 620 Cross St. Dresden on Monday November 19, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. for the late Norma Chandler age 61. She passed away Thursday November 15, 2007 at Chatham Kent Health Alliance PGF Campus. Rev. Leona Wright officiated and sang two selections. Interment was in Dresden Cemetery. Pall Bearers were Chris, Tim, Eric, Jayson Chandler, Mike Dudley and Brian Handsor.



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Thousands join transit strikers

PRESIDENT SAYS PROTESTS WON'T DERAIL PLANS TO OVERHAUL FRANCE

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PARIS — President Nicolas Sarkozy stood firm against spreading strikes Tuesday, insisting he will not water down plans for a thorough overhaul of France, even as civil servants joined the walkouts and thousands of protesters took to the streets.

Sarkozy was characteristically defiant as he broke what had been an unusual silence during a week of transit strikes that have disrupted travel across the country. He accused the strikers of holding commuters "hostage" and called for them to return to work.

Turning to critics who hope he can be forced to back away from deep economic, social and political changes for a country that has proved difficult to reform, Sarkozy had a simple message: Forget it.

"France needs reforms to meet the challenges imposed on it by the world," he said in a spirited speech to mayors. "These reforms have been too long in coming . . After so much hesitation, so much procrastination, so many backward steps, we will not surrender and we will not retreat."

Sarkozy appears to have the upper hand in his test of strength with powerful transport unions fighting tougher pension rules. Opinion polls say the public strongly supports the president and strikers have been trickling back to work on subway and long-distance

If he wins the faceoff, Sarkozy will improve his chances for pushing through even bigger and more ambitious reforms. One involves slim-

ming down and reforming the civil service, whose five million workers make it France's largest employer.

Sarkozy insisted in his speech that he didn't deliberately pick the fight with the train unions

But he certainly chose the field of combat well: Pension rights that train drivers and other specially classed workers are fighting to protect are cushier than those enjoyed by most in France. Sarkozy says pension rights should be equal for all, and he has public opinion on

his side.

Sarkozy "hasn't won the gamble yet, because the trains still aren't running. But it seems he will win,' said Etienne Schweisguth, a researcher at the respected Sciences Po school of political sciences in Paris.

"If he wins this first test of strength then a bastion will have given way. Unions, workers, leftists will be less disposed to strike in the future," Schweisguth said in a telephone interview. "He will have weakened the opponents of reform."

The question now is when and how the transport strike, which was heading into its eighth full day Wednesday, might end.

Talks with transport unions were to start Wednesday and the government said state representatives would take part. In his speech, Sarkozy said, "You have to know how to stop a strike when the time for discussion opens."

Transport workers are not his only challenge.

Hundreds of thousands of civil servants stayed off the job Tuesday to press their separate demands for pay raises and job security.

Mayor rallies town to round up cattle

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

STOYSTOWN, Pa. — Cattle roundups are mostly a thing of the past, and this is western Pennsylvania, not the Wild West.

None of that mattered Thursday, when a resident called to report a herd of cattle stampeding through her yard.

Mayor Bill Boyd was first on the scene, honking his horn at the nine bulls, cows and calves that were plodding along, barely 100 metres from Main Street in the borough of just over 400 people, about 130 kilome-

tres southeast of Pittsburgh. Boyd got eight of the critters to stop, but the ninth just kept moseying toward the main drag. That was when police

officer Nathan Claycomb joined the mayor in trying to head the stubborn animal off at the pass. Then a handful of resi-

dents joined in, and together they managed to get the wandering herd corralled on a nearby field.

Boyd said he didn't know who owned the cattle.

"I'm going to assume everything worked out favourably," the mayor said.