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December 5, 2007

Ontario Energy Board
P.O. Box 2319
27th Floor
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Attention: Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary

Re: **Haldimand County Hydro Inc. (Licence # ED-2002-0539)**
2008 Incentive Regulation Mechanism (2008 IRM) Rate Application
(EB-2007-0859)
Affidavit Proving Publication and Service of Notice

Dear Ms. Walli:

This letter is in accordance with the Board's "Letter of Direction" issued November 19, 2007, and in particular the following item:

3. "To file with the Board an affidavit proving publication and, where applicable, service of the Notice immediately thereafter."

Haldimand County Hydro Inc. hereby submits one hard copy of this affidavit, as required.

Yours truly,
HALDIMAND COUNTY HYDRO INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. A. Scott'.

Jacqueline A. Scott
Finance Manager

Encl.

Letter of
Direction re
Publication
Service complied
with
Last date of
Publications
Nov 30
Dec 10 - objection to
written hearing - none

J. L. Lange
Dec 12/07

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BOARD FILE NO. EB-2007-0859**

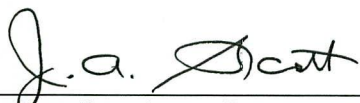
I, Jacqueline Anne Scott, hereby certify that the "Notice of Application And Written Hearing For An Electricity Distribution Rate Change (the "Notice")", as provided by the Ontario Energy Board with it's Letter of Direction issued November 19, 2007, was published in the following newspapers (copies attached) within the service territory of Haldimand County Hydro Inc.:

- The Grand River Sachem & Gazette, dated November 30, 2007;
- The Haldimand Press, dated November 28, 2007;
- The Dunnville Chronicle, dated November 28, 2007; and
- The Regional News This Week, dated November 28, 2007.

I further certify that the Notice was served directly on the following party, by email dated November 26, 2007 (copy attached):

- Norfolk Power Distribution Inc. (Embedded Distributor)

SWORN BEFORE ME in)
Haldimand County)
In the Province of Ontario,)
this 5th day of December 2007)



Jacqueline Anne Scott
Finance Manager
Haldimand County Hydro Inc.
December 5, 2007



Charles Edward McCarthy
Notary Public

Ontario Energy
BoardCommission de l'énergie
de l'Ontario

EB-2007-0859

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND WRITTEN HEARING FOR AN
ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION RATE CHANGE
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DATED at Toronto, November 19, 2007

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