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Dear Ms Walli:

**Re: EB-2007-0710**

We are counsel to the Consumers Council of Canada ("Council"). Our client is a party to the application of Hydro One Networks Inc. In that capacity, our client was served with a copy of a Motion Record, dated April 8, 2008, from counsel to the Association of Power Consumers of Ontario ("AMPCO").

In its Notice of Motion, AMPCO seeks an order reviewing and directing a rehearing of a portion of the Decision of the Board in the application of Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. ("Oshawa PUC"). The Council was not a party to the application of Oshawa PUC.

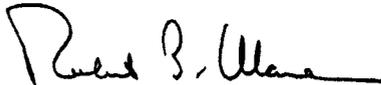
The relief sought by AMPCO, in its Notice of Motion, would, if granted, have a material adverse impact on the interests of residential consumers of electricity, the constituency which the Council represents. For that reason, we ask that the Council be added as a party to the Oshawa PUC application, so that it may participate in the hearing of AMPCO's Notice of Motion. The Council accepts the record as it exists in the Oshawa PUC application.

As the Board is aware, the Council, representing the interests of the broad array of residential consumers of electricity, has intervened in the applications for approval of the rates of a number of LDCs. Unfortunately, because of limited resources and because of the number of major proceedings now pending before the Board, the Council has had to limit the number of applications in which it can participate. That the Council did not intervene in the application of Oshawa PUC was based solely on considerations of the efficient allocation of available resources, and was not based on any view that the outcome of the application would not affect the interests of residential consumers. However, the significance of the relief sought by AMPCO in its Notice of Motion, both for residential consumers within the service territory of

Oshawa PUC and for residential consumers serviced by other LDCs, is such that the Council must participate in the hearing of AMPCO's Notice of Motion.

Yours very truly,

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