

BY EMAIL

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Dear Ms. Stefan:

Re: Canadian Niagara Power Inc.

Application for an Electricity Distribution Licence
OEB File Number EB-2023-0265

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) received Canadian Niagara Power Inc.'s application for an electricity distribution licence on August 29, 2023. The OEB has assigned file number EB-2023-0265 to the application. The application will be decided by an employee of the OEB who has been delegated this authority pursuant to section 6 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 (Delegated Authority). The Delegated Authority intends to make a decision on the application without holding a hearing.

The OEB has preliminary reviewed your application. Your application is currently incomplete and cannot be processed until the following has been filed:

1. Section 5: Description of Service Area (Schedule 1 of the electricity distribution licence)

In Canadian Niagara Power Inc.'s (CNPI) electricity distribution streamlined licence renewal application, CNPI provided a list of updates through deletions and additions to Schedule 1: Defined Distribution Service Area.

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Please provide a reason for the following additions:

a. Kingston Mills Road: 503, 484, 445, 440

b. County Road#15: 1697

c. Abbey Dawn Road: 1660 and 1569

d. Thompson Crescent: 893

e. Kingston Mills Road: 710 and 636

f. Daylan Avenue: 1622

g. John F Scott Road: 991, 1015, 1021, 1050 and the sign under the bridge by Hwy 401

h. Battersea Road: 1616, 1618, 1624, 1642, 1658, 1670, 1684 and 1702

i. Station Road: 1699

Rows g, h, and i appear to be new streets being added to the defined distribution service area.

- Has the applicant been providing distribution service to these addresses listed in rows g, h and i?
- If yes, please provide a date(s) when the applicant began providing distribution service to these addresses.
- If yes, did the applicant submit a service area amendment to add the addresses listed in rows g, h and i?
 - If no, please provide a reason, as to why a service area amendment was not requested.
- If no, please provide a name of the distributor and OEB electricity distribution licece, authorized to serve these areas.
 - If the applicant has not provided distribution service to these addresses, please submit a date as to when the applicant intends to serve these addresses.

Please note additions to Schedule 1: Defined Distribution Service Area requires a Service Area Amendment request.

The OEB will resume processing your application once the above information has been filed. If the above information is not filed within 30 days of the date of this letter, the OEB may close the file for this application.

Once your application is complete, the Delegated Authority expects to issue a final decision on your application within 60-90 days.

In the event the Delegated Authority decides to deny or otherwise modify the relief you requested in your application, you will be given an opportunity to provide comments. The Delegated Authority will consider your final comments, if any, prior to issuing a decision and order.

Please submit an electronic copy of the requested information to registrar@oeb.ca.

Any questions relating to this letter or your application should be directed to Natasha Gocool, Advisor at Natasha.Gocool@oeb.ca. Please refer to the OEB file number noted above in all future correspondence to the OEB regarding your application.

Yours truly,

John Pickernell Manager, Applications Administration