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Nancy Marconi
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Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
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Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: Métis Nation of Ontario ("MNO")
EB-2023-0198 – Hydro One LTC Application
Response to Procedural Order No. 3**

We have been appointed as counsel to MNO (Northwestern Ontario Métis Community and Region 2 of the Métis Nation of Ontario) in this proceeding. Please add me and my colleague Patrick Copeland to the distribution list that was set out in Procedural Order No. 1.

In Procedural Order No. 3, the OEB asked intervenors to advise of their intention to file evidence, and to provide a description of such evidence.

MNO does not currently plan to file evidence.

MNO does wish to advise the OEB that it is in ongoing discussions with Hydro One about matters relevant to this Application. Depending on the outcome of such discussions, MNO may bring a motion seeking to have Hydro One provide answers to interrogatories that were not answered fully or at all. However, MNO does not believe that it would be efficient to bring such a motion yet, because it may not be necessary. Should the motion be necessary, MNO will advise the OEB of that fact and file related motion materials in advance of any oral or written hearing process.

Please contact me should you have any questions.

Yours truly,

AIRD & BERLIS LLP



David Stevens
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parties in EB-2023-0198