

Ms. Nancy Marconi
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April 25, 2024

**EB-2024-0126- Transmission Connections Review
Pollution Probe Participation Request**

Dear Ms. Marconi:

Pollution Probe received the notification for the above noted consultation and hereby applies for participant status and requests that it be eligible for the recovery of reasonably incurred costs for its participation. Pollution Probe has participated in consultations related to Transmission System Code's (TSC) connection related sections and represents a direct consumer and policy interest related to this consultation.

Pollution Probe is a frequent intervenor in Board proceedings and a copy of our current Annual Filing can be found on the Board's website at the following location:

<https://www.rds.oeb.ca/CMWebDrawer/Record/785648/File/document>

Pollution Probe intends to actively participate in all aspects of this consultation with a focus on enhancing the effectiveness of connection processes and procedures in alignment with public policy including consumer, grid and economic impacts. A modern, adaptable and efficient approach is essential to meet the future needs of Ontario, particularly as the energy transition continues to accelerate.

Intention to Seek Cost Awards

Pollution Probe is a not-for-profit charitable organization. We receive individual donations as well as funding for consumer and research projects, such as on community energy planning, future of natural gas and regulated utility innovation, from a variety of public and private sources. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Pollution Probe's ability to participate in the consultation process would not be possible.

Pollution Probe has been an active and valuable participant in proceedings before the Ontario Energy Board and will continue to coordinate its activities, where appropriate, with other parties which represent consumer, municipal and environmental interests in Ontario.

Pollution Probe respectfully requests your acceptance of this request to participate and confirmation that it will be eligible for its costs.

Notice

Pollution Probe requests that further communications with respect to this matter be sent to:

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of Pollution Probe.



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