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## **BY EMAIL AND RESS**

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Ms. Nancy Marconi Registrar Ontario Energy Board Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street P.O. Box 2319 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Marconi,

## EB-2023-0328 – Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation (CPUC) and Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One) Application made under s.86(1) of the Ontario Energy Board Act,1998 to sell and purchase the electricity distribution assets of CPUC – Draft Rate Order

In accordance with the Decision and Order issued April 18, 2024, approving Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation to sell its distribution system assets to Hydro One Networks Inc., Hydro One submits the Draft Rate order for Chapleau Public Utilities customers that includes their proposed Tariff of Rates and Charges.

CPUC's street and sentinel light customers will adopt Hydro One's distribution rates at integration. This is to minimize the changes required in the billing system since CPUC's Lighting customers' distribution volumetric rates are kW-based while Hydro One's rates for these customers are kWh-based. The impacted customers will be provided a credit equivalent to the increase in their base distribution charge to limit their bill impacts (the mitigation plan for non-residential customers for 2024 is to freeze their Distribution rates, so this approach is consistent).

Should you have any questions, please contact Joanne Richardson at (416) 902- 4326 or via email at <u>Joanne.Richardson@HydroOne.com</u>.

An electronic copy of this letter and the draft rate order has been submitted using the Board's Regulatory Electronic Submission System.

Sincerely,

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