



BY EMAIL

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Dear Andrew Bishop:

**Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. (Hydro One)
Waasigan – Expropriation Application
OEB File Number: EB-2024-0319**

The Independent Electricity System Operator participated as an intervenor in the Ontario Energy Board's (OEB) hearing on Hydro One's application (EB-2023-0198) for leave to construct approximately 360 kilometers of 230 kilovolt electricity transmission line and associated facilities between the Lakehead Transformer Station and the Mackenzie Transformer Station, and between the Mackenzie Transformer Station and the Dryden Transformer Station. The path of the Project passes through the regions of Thunder Bay, Rainy River and Kenora, Ontario. On April 16, 2024, the OEB issued its Decision and Order approving the leave to construct application.

Please be informed that Hydro One has now filed an application with the OEB to expropriate certain lands needed for the construction and operation of the Project. The OEB has assigned file no. EB-2024-0319 to the expropriation application and has commenced a hearing on the matter. All documents in relation to the expropriation application are available on the OEB's website.

Yours truly,

Nancy Marconi
Registrar

c: Beverly Nollert