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Dear Jason Savulak:

**Re: Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie LP (HOSSM)
Application for a Licence Amendment – Transmission System Code
Exemption related to Gross Load Billing
File: EB-2024-0357**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) received an application from HOSSM requesting a transmitter licence amendment for an exemption from section 4.2.2 of the Transmission System Code (TSC) that would set a limit on the amount of capacity (30 MW) for gross load billing in relation to Line Connection service charges to address the unique circumstances involving a customer (Algoma Steel Inc.). The application was submitted on December 16, 2024. The OEB has commenced processing the application and has assigned it file number EB-2024-0357.

The application will be decided by an employee of the OEB who has been delegated this authority under 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.

If required, OEB staff will contact you directly to seek clarification regarding the application or to request additional information. Please note that the timely processing of the application depends on the receipt of information within the specified timelines.

HOSSM is reminded that it is responsible for ensuring that the documents it files with the OEB, such as its evidence, responses to interrogatories and any other supporting documentation, do not include personal information (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's [*Rules of Practice and Procedure*](#).

Please direct any questions to Chris Cincar, Senior Policy Advisor, Transmission Policy & Compliance at chris.cincar@oeb.ca. Please refer to the OEB file number noted above in all future correspondence to the OEB regarding your application.

Yours truly,

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