



**EB-2008-0290**

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act*,  
1998, S.O.1998, c.15, Schedule B;

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by St.  
Catharines Hydro Generation Inc. for an electricity  
retailer licence.

By delegation, before: Jennifer Lea

### **DECISION AND ORDER**

St. Catharines Hydro Generation Inc. filed an application dated August 22, 2008 with the Ontario Energy Board under section 60 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 for an electricity retailer licence.

The Board's Notice of Application and Written Hearing for an electricity retailer licence was published on September 10, 2008. On September 19, 2008, a letter was filed to register Direct Energy Marketing Limited's interest in participating in the written hearing. On October 24, 2008, the company's representative confirmed that Direct Energy Marketing Limited has no submission to make to the Board.

After considering the application, I find it to be in the public interest to issue the electricity retailer licence under Part V of the Act.

### **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

The application for an electricity retailer licence is granted, on such conditions as are contained in the attached licence.

**DATED** at Toronto, November 5, 2008.

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*Original signed by*

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