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Ontario Energy Board
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RE: EB-2024-0198 – EGI 2026-30 DSM Plan Appl. – FRPO Reply to PO#1

We are writing on behalf of the Federation of Rental-housing Providers of Ontario (FRPO) in response the Board's PO#1 in the matter of the EGI's 2026-30 DSM Plan Application.

At the outset, FRPO would like to thank the Board for its acknowledgement of our standing and our opportunity to contribute to the Board's determination of issues in this proceeding. We respect the Board's interest in continuing improvements in regulatory efficiency. FRPO has collaborated with intervenors over the years where similar interests and concerns coupled with differentiated expertise has resulted in more effective assistance to the Board on behalf of our respective stakeholders. We appreciate the Board's recognition that the intervenor framework is functioning well.

FRPO further understands the Board's view toward process efficiency in requesting a collaboration with HSC for discovery in the DSM proceeding. We appreciate that our respective organizational submissions will be separate, and that staff will be seeking feedback at the conclusion of the proceeding. While this approach is new to the parties, we will strive to seek efficiency through this direction and will contribute our considered, experienced response through staff in accordance with further direction.

Respectfully Submitted on Behalf of FRPO,



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