



July 18, 2025

By Email

Mr. Ritchie Murray
Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Mr. Murray,

**Re: Distribution Customer Connections Review (EB-2025-0204)
ENWIN Utilities Ltd. Working Group Nomination**

On July 3, 2025, the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) issued a letter regarding the launch of a comprehensive review of electricity distributor processes and requirements for connecting load customers. The OEB noted this review is in response to stakeholder feedback and the Minister of Energy and Mines' Integrated Energy Plan Directive, which calls on the OEB to conduct a review of electricity distributor connection procedures and report back by December 31 of this year.

To support this work, OEB staff are intending to establish a technical working group with representatives of both customers and distributors. Interested stakeholders were requested to submit nominations for the working group by July 21, 2025.

In consideration of the above, ENWIN Utilities Ltd. (ENWIN) hereby nominates Marvio Vinhaes, Director Engineering (Hydro), to participate in the working group.

A brief summary of Marvio's experience and qualifications is provided below:

- Over 40 years of industry experience.
 - Over 20 years of Canadian regulated utility experience as a Professional Engineer (P. Eng.) working in system planning, engineering, new distribution customer connections, reliability, distribution asset management, distributed generation and power quality.
 - Broad experience in electrical design as per the Canadian Electrical Code, as well as a working knowledge of Distribution System Code customer connection requirements, including economic evaluation.
- Holds a Master of Science in Electrical Power Systems Engineering and a Master Certificate in Energy Sector Leadership.
- Relevant current and past industry committee and working group experience:
 - OEB - Reliability and Power Quality Review Working Group
 - Utilities Standards Forum - Technical Advisory Council Member
 - Grid Smart City Cooperative - Material and Standardization Committee Member

- Electricity Distributors Association - Operations and Engineering Council Member

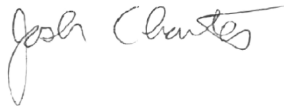
ENWIN believes Marvio's background and relevant, first-hand experience addressing the real-life system planning aspects of new distribution customer connections will provide valuable input to the working group, given the stated approach to the workstreams and timelines noted in the OEB's July 3, 2025 letter.

ENWIN also notes that its service territory is comprised of a variety of customer types, comprising residential, small and large commercial / industrial, and large use customers with dedicated transformer stations. This broad customer base and direct experience connecting multiple customer types will allow valuable, first-hand experience to be provided to the working group from a mid-size utility perspective.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,

ENWIN Utilities Ltd.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Josh Charles". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Josh" and last name "Charles" clearly distinguishable.

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