## **VIA EMAIL**

August 5, 2025

Ritchie Murray Registrar Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street, 27<sup>th</sup> Floor Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4

## Dear Ritchie Murray:

Re: Ontario Energy Board (OEB)

Distribution Customer Connections Review
Consumers Council of Canada (CCC) Late Participation Request

OEB File No. EB-2025-0204

We are writing on behalf of the Consumers Council of Canada (CCC) to request that Lawrie Gluck be included on the Distribution Customer Connections Review Working Group. We apologize for our late participation request.

CCC is interested in the implications for residential customers of potential changes to distributor connection processes. CCC recently provided comments on the proposed DSC amendments related to the Capacity Allocation Model in EB-2024-0092. Mr. Gluck has been involved in a number of rate applications and policy consultations over many years as a consultant to CCC and, previously, as OEB staff.

On November 14, 2024, CCC filed with the Ontario Energy Board, pursuant to Rule 22.03 of the Ontario Energy Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a document describing CCC, its mandate and objectives, membership, the constituency represented, and the types of activities CCC carries out. In addition, we provided a list of the individuals authorized to represent CCC in OEB proceedings.

CCC intends to ask for an order of costs in this proceeding. CCC has participated in many proceedings and consultations over a long period of time. In all of those proceedings and consultation processes CCC has been recognized as being eligible for an award of costs. In the absence of an award of costs CCC would be unable to participate in this consultation process.

Copies of all correspondence related to this consultation process be sent to the following:

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Please let us know if any further information from CCC is required at this time.

Yours truly,

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Consultant for the Consumers Council of Canada