

EB-2008-0322

**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 West Perth Power Inc. seeking a decision and order to make changes to its Conservation and Demand Management plan;

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by West Perth Power Inc. under section 21(4)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*,1998, seeking to dispose of the proceeding without a hearing.

**BEFORE:** Gordon Kaiser

Presiding Member and Vice Chair

Cathy Spoel Member

## **DECISION AND ORDER**

West Perth Power Inc. ("West Perth Power" or the "Applicant") filed an application with the Ontario Energy board (the "Board"), dated October 3, 2008 for a decision and order seeking approval for a timeline extension to complete third tranche spending of its approved Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM") plan. West Perth has also requested, pursuant to subsection 21(4)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the "Act") that the Board dispose of the proceeding without a hearing. The Board assigned file number EB-2008-0322 to this application.

On February 17, 2005, West Perth Power was granted approval of its CDM plan (RP-2004-0203/EB-2004-0548). The total approved budget for West Perth Power's CDM plan is \$27,000.

West Perth Power has requested an extension to complete spending of approved third tranche funds from April 30, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

West Perth Power has requested that the Board dispose of this matter without a hearing pursuant to section 21(4)(b) of the Act. Section 21(4)(b) of the Act states that the Board may dispose of a proceeding without a hearing if the Board determines that "no person, other than the applicant, appellant or licence holder will be adversely affected in a material way by the outcome of the proceeding and the applicant, appellant or licence holder has consented to disposing of a proceeding without a hearing."

The Board approves the timeline extension as proposed by West Perth Power.

## THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

West Perth Power Inc. is granted approval to extend the completion date to exhaust third tranche CDM expenditures from April 30, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

**DATED** at Toronto, November 17, 2008 **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD** 

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary