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Intervention Form

Case Number:

EB-2025-0046

Requesting information on behalf:

Of an organization

Intervenor Name:

Power Workers' Union

Mandate and Objectives:

The Power Workers' Union ("PWU") is a labour union representing the majority of workers in the electricity industry in Ontario. Its mandate and objectives include to represent the interests of its membership and to participate in the regulatory oversight processes affecting the energy industry in Ontario. A list of PWU employers is as follows: Abraflex (2004) Ltd. Alectra Utilities (formerly PowerStream) Algoma Power Aptum (formerly Cogeco Peer 1) Atlantic Power Corporation - Calstock Power Plant Atlantic Power Corporation - Kapuskasing Power Plant Atlantic Power Corporation - Nipigon Power Plant Atura - Halton Hills Generating Station Atura - Napanee Generating Station Atura - Portlands Energy Centre Bracebridge Generation Brookfield Power Wind Operations Brookfield Renewable Power - Mississagi Power Trust Bruce Power Inc. Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (AECL Chalk River) Cochrane Telecom Services Compass Group Corporation of the County of Brant Covanta Durham York Renewable Energy Ltd. Elexicon (formerly Whitby Hydro) Enwave Windsor EPCOR Electricity Distribution Ontario Inc. Erth Power Corporation (formerly Erie Thames Powerlines) Erth Holdings Inc Ethos Energy Inc. Great Lakes Power (Generation) Greenfield South Power Corporation Grimsby Power Incorporated Halton Hills Hydro Inc. Hydro One Inc. Hydro One CSO (formerly Vertex) Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie (formerly Great Lakes Power Transmission) Independent Electricity System Operator Inergi LP InnPower (Innisfil

Hydro Distribution Systems Limited) Kinectrics Inc. Kitchener-Wilmot Hydro Inc. Lakeland Power Distribution Laurentis Energy Partners London Hydro Corporation Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. New Horizon System Solutions Newmarket -Tay/Midland Hydro Ltd. Nuclear Waste Management Organization Ontario Power Generation Inc. Orangeville Hydro Limited PUC Services Quality Tree Service Rogers Communications (Kincardine Cable TV Ltd.) Sioux Lookout Hydro Inc. SouthWestern Energy Synergy North Corporation Tillsonburg Hydro Inc. The Electrical Safety Authority Toronto Hydro TransAlta Generation Partnership O.H.S.C. Westario Power

Membership of the Intervenor and Constituency Represented:

The PWU has approximately 15,000 members making up about 70% of the workforce in Ontario's electricity industry.

Programs or Activities Carried Out by the Intervenor:

The PWU carries out a wide variety of activities such as collective bargaining, advocacy regarding workplace safety matters, and participation in regulatory matters affecting its membership.

Governance Structure:

A President and three Vice Presidents, who are elected for four-year terms, lead the PWU. This leadership provides support and direction for an extensive network of Stewards across Ontario. The PWU also has a highly skilled staff of more than 50 people including a collective bargaining research department, communications and government relations professionals, Health and Safety Staff Officers; a WSIB department to ensure fair compensation for workplace injuries or illnesses; experienced in-house legal counsel complete with a team of grievance specialists and more. In OEB proceedings, authority to instruct the PWU's representatives is typically delegated to a small number of individuals within the PWU who are able to provide instructions on an as needed and efficient basis.

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Frequent Intervenor Form:

Add all individuals listed on our Frequent Intervenor Form as contacts for this proceeding:

N/A

Names and email addresses of individuals to be added as contacts for this proceeding:

N/A

OEB Proceedings:

Item Description	Category	Status
EB-2023-0098	Electricity – Rates	Granted
EB-2023-0209	Electricity – Rates	Granted
EB-2023-0004	Electricity – Rates	Denied
EB-2023-0291	Electricity – Rates	Denied
EB-2023-0195	Electricity – Rates	Granted

Issues:

As the union representing a large portion of the applicant's employees, the PWU is materially affected by the issues raised in this application. The PWU's concern is with the financial viability of the utilities, and whether the proposed rates and charges will permit the utilities to undertake the work necessary to ensure the safe and reliable operation of the facilities used to serve the affected customers. The PWU has an interest in all the usual issues in standard cost-based applications. PWU acknowledges the minor delay in the submission of this intervention

application and respectfully requests an indulgence in the consideration of this application.

Policy Interests:

n/a

Hearings:

PWU takes no position.

Evidence:

PWU is not able to answer this question at this time.

Coordination with Other Intervenors:

The PWU and its representatives will draw on their long history of participation in OEB proceedings, as well as their established working relationships with representatives of the other frequent intervenors, to coordinate its intervention in an efficient manner.

Cost Awards:

PWU is not seeking costs.

Language Preference:

English.