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BY E-MAIL

November 19, 2008

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INTERVENOR REQUEST

Dear Mr. Brooks:

Re: Hydro One Networks Inc. – 2009 and 2010 Electricity Transmission Rates Application Board File Number EB-2008-0272

The Ontario Energy Board has received an application from the Association of Power Producers in Ontario ("APPrO") for intervenor status. The Board grants intervenor status as requested, subject to objections by the Applicant.

Generators, as you are aware, are generally not eligible for costs in accordance with section 3.05 of the Practice Direction on Cost Awards. However, section 3.07 allows that "the Board may, in special circumstances, find that a party which falls into one of the categories listed in section 3.05 is eligible for a cost award in a particular process." The Board finds, as it did in the previous Hydro One Transmission hearing, that APPrO is eligible for costs, but only to the extent that APPrO represents customer interests where such customers displace some of their loads and pay transmission rates for relevant services. Generator connection cost issues are addressed under the Transmission Code and are therefore not part of this hearing. When APPrO files its cost claim it will be expected to explain how the issues for which it is seeking cost awards satisfy these conditions. The Board has the expectation that all cost eligible intervenors will cooperate to the maximum extent possible and that we will be mindful of avoidable duplication.

Please note that you will be required to meet the dates already provided for in the Procedural Order No. 1, a copy of which is attached for your information. This includes representations by November 21, 2008 on items to be included in the Issues List.

For the information of intervenors, a revised list of intervenors is attached.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

Encl. Procedural Order No. 1 and updated Intervenor List

C. Mr. Glen MacDonald, Hydro One Networks Inc. Mr. D.H. Rogers, Q.C. Rogers, Moore All Intervenors