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DECISION AND ORDER

EB-2025-0316

DOMTAR INC.

Application for an Electricity Generation Licence Amendment

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Brian Hewson
Vice President
Consumer Protection and Industry Performance

November 27, 2025

DECISION AND ORDER

Domtar Inc. filed an application on November 5, 2025, with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) pursuant to section 74 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (OEB Act) to amend Schedule 1 of electricity generation licence EG-2011-0031.

This Decision and Order is being issued by the Delegated Authority pursuant to section 6 of the OEB Act. The Delegated Authority has considered the application without holding a hearing pursuant to section 6(4) of the OEB Act.

Licence EG-2011-0031 was issued in the name of Domtar Inc. (“the applicant”) to generate electricity in respect of the facilities that are set out in Schedule 1 of the Domtar Licence, namely the “Espanola Mill located at 1 Station Road, Espanola, Ontario” (the “Domtar Generating Facilities”).

October 17, 2025, Domtar completed the sale of the said facilities to Bioveld North Inc.(“BNI”). BNI holds Electricity Generation Licence EG-2025-0237 (“BNI Licence”) which authorizes BNI to generate electricity in respect of the facilities that are set out in Schedule 1 of the BNI Licence, namely the “EB Eddy Forest Espanola CGS generating facility located at 1 Station Road, Espanola, Ontario, P5E 1R6” (the “BNI Generating Facilities”). The Domtar Generating Facilities and the BNI Generating Facilities are one and the same facilities.

In light of the purchase of the Domtar Generating Facilities by BNI, Domtar requested the Ontario Energy Board to amend the Domtar Licence by deleting the words “Espanola Mill, owned and operated by the Licensee at 1 Station Road, Espanola, Ontario”.

The OEB approves the amendment to Domtar Inc.’s licence and reminds it that prior to engaging in the ownership or operation of any generating facility Domtar Inc. will require an amendment to its licence.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

Schedule 1 of electricity generation licence EG-2011-0031 is amended to remove the words “Espanola Mill, owned and operated by the Licensee at 1 Station Road, Espanola, Ontario”. All other provisions remain unchanged.

DATED at Toronto on November 27, 2025

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Brian Hewson
Vice President, Consumer Protection and Industry Performance.