

NOTICE OF A HEARING

1000757443 Ontario LP has applied for authority to expropriate land interests situated in the original reserve of the Batchewana First Nation (BFN)

1000757443 Ontario LP by its general partner, BFN Transmission GP Holding Company Inc. (the Applicant), is asking the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) for authority to expropriate land interests situated in the original reserve of the Batchewana First Nation in the form of a permanent easement. The Applicant says the expropriation is needed to facilitate the construction of a new 45-kilometer 115 kV transmission line which will extend from a new switching station near the Hydro One Hollingsworth Transmission Station and will terminate at a new sub-station being constructed at the Island Gold Mine located in Finan Township, in the Algoma District (the Project).

The Applicant has identified you as someone who owns or has an interest in part of the lands that the Applicant is seeking permission to expropriate for the Project. A copy of the property descriptions and survey maps showing the lands that the Applicant is asking to expropriate are attached to this Notice.

This application is about the expropriation of certain specific lands only. It is not about compensation. The OEB will consider the public interest when making a decision on an application for expropriation of land. The OEB does not have the authority to determine the amount of compensation. If the OEB authorizes the Applicant to expropriate and the parties do not agree upon compensation, then the compensation must be determined under the Expropriations Act by the Ontario Land Tribunal.

YOU SHOULD KNOW

There are three types of OEB Hearings: oral, electronic and written. If you have a preference for the type of hearing, you can write to us to explain why.

During this hearing, we will hear questions and arguments from participants about this case. We will also hear questions and arguments from participants that have registered as Intervenor. After the hearing, we will decide whether to approve the application.

HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information about this application and to participate in the process. Visit www.oeb.ca/notice and use file number **EB-2025-0314** to:

- Review the application
- Apply to become an intervenor
- File a letter with your comments

IMPORTANT DATES

You must engage with the OEB on or before **January 12, 2026** to:

- Provide input on the hearing type (oral, electronic or written)
- Apply to be an intervenor

If you do not, the hearing will move forward without you, and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.

PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter will be put on the public record and the OEB website. If you are a business or if you apply to become an intervenor, all the information you file will be on the OEB website.

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