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BY E-MAIL ONLY

December 24, 2008

Paula Tarini
Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc.
500 Regent Street
Sudbury, ON P3E 4P1

Dear Ms. Tarini:

**Re: Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc.
2009 Cost of Service Distribution Rate Application
Board File Number EB-2008-0230**

This letter acknowledges the Board's receipt on December 22, 2008, of your 2009 Cost of Service distribution rate application. The Board has assigned File Number EB-2008-0230 to this matter. Please refer to this number in all future correspondence to the Board regarding this proceeding.

The Board will issue further correspondence indicating the next steps to be taken in this matter and corresponding dates. Based on the Board's experience with applications of this nature, the Board expects that it may be able to render a decision on or about August 14, 2009.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Harold Thiessen, Senior Advisor at (416) 440-7637 or Harold.Thiessen@oeb.gov.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Originally Signed by

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary