

EB-2008-0205

**IN THE MATTER OF** the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);

**AND IN THE MATTER OF** an application by Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. for an order or orders approving just and reasonable rates and other charges for electricity distribution to be effective May 1, 2009.

#### PROCEDURAL ORDER No.1

Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board, received on November 7, 2008, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15 (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes to the rates that Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2009. The Board has assigned the application file number EB-2008-0205. The Board issued a Notice of Application and Hearing dated November 27, 2008, in which it announced that the application would be reviewed in two parts: Part I will be a review of the standard IRM application and requests regarding recovery of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (LRAM) and Shared Savings Mechanism (SSM) amounts. Part II will be a review of the request for incremental capital investment. This Procedural Order only relates to Part II of the application.

The only intervenor in this proceeding is the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition ("VECC"). Contact information for the intervenor and the applicant is provided in Appendix A.

The Board is of the view that Part II of this application can be decided by way of written hearing. However, the Board may make provision for an oral component at a later date to address any issues that it feels may benefit from an oral component. Please be aware that this procedural order may be amended, and further procedural orders may be issued from time to time.

#### THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- Intervenors (including Board staff) that want information and material from the applicant that is in addition to the evidence filed with the Board, and that is relevant to the hearing, shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the Board and delivered to the applicant. Intervenors (including Board staff) shall file and deliver any interrogatories by Friday, February 6, 2009.
- 2. The applicant shall file with the Board complete responses to the interrogatories and deliver them to the intervenor no later than **Friday**, **February 27**, **2009**.

All filings to the Board must quote file number EB-2008-0205, be made through the Board's web portal at <a href="www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca">www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca</a>, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <a href="www.oeb.gov.on.ca">www.oeb.gov.on.ca</a>. If the web portal is not available you may e-mail your document to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

## <u>ADDRESSES</u>

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# **DATED** at Toronto, January 7, 2009 **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD**

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary