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Ms. Kirsten Walli  
Secretary  
Ontario Energy Board  
Suite 2700, 2300 Yonge Street  
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**RP-2004-0205 – Regulated Price Plan – OEB Notice of Proposal to Amend SSS July 12, 2006 –  
Hydro One Networks Comments**

Hydro One Distribution Networks, (Networks), is supportive of the proposed amendments to allow LDCs with Smart Meters to start billing customer based on time-of-use rates on a voluntary basis.

Networks currently has no intention of implementing pilot programs based on time-of-use rates. Networks already has Board approval for an Interim Time-of-Use rate program applicable to a handful of customers as part of Networks' Conservation and Demand Management initiatives. The program was approved by the Board on November 10, 2004 as part of RP-2004-0203 EB-2004-0457. Networks assumes that the proposed amendments do not affect its own interim time-of-use program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan Frank".

Susan Frank