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July 19, 2007

Kirstin Walli, Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board PO Box 2319 Suite 2701 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms Walli:

Re: Distributed Generation: Rates and Connection/ Ontario Energy Board File No. EB-2007-0630/ Letter of Intervention of the Consumers Council of Canada

We are counsel to the Consumers Council of Canada (the "Council").

We have received a copy of your notice dated July 13, 2007 in this matter. On behalf of our client we advise you of its desire to participate in the Board's consultation. The Council wishes to participate in the consultation process, and submit written comments on the EESC Paper and the Staff Discussion Paper.

The Council is a non-profit, public interest organization which represents the interests of the broad spectrum of residential consumers of electricity in Ontario. The Council has been an active participant in most, if not all, of the Board's processes dealing with the setting of rates for generators and distributors of electricity. The Council and its constituents have an interest in these issues, which have an impact on them.

As a non-profit public interest group, the Council has no funds to support its participation in the consultation. Accordingly, the Council requests cost eligibility and will seek an award of costs at the end of the proceeding. The Council has, in all other Board proceedings dealing with electricity matters, been found to be eligible to claim an award of 100% of its reasonably-incurred costs.

We would appreciate your having all notices with respect to the proceeding, and copies of any other materials delivered to the writer. In addition, copies of all materials should be sent to the Council's consultant, Julie Girvan. Ms. Girvan's contact information is: 2 Penrose Road, Toronto, ON M4S 1P1, telephone: (416) 322-7936, fax: (416) 322-9703, e-mail: jgirvan@ca.inter.net.

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