

EB-2007-0707

IN THE MATTER OF sections 25.30 and 25.31 of the *Electricity Act, 1998*;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by the Ontario Power Authority for review and approval of the Integrated Power System Plan and proposed procurement processes.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 9

The Ontario Power Authority (the "OPA") filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board dated August 29, 2007 under the *Electricity Act*, *1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, Sched. A. The applicant is seeking an order of the Board approving the Integrated Power System Plan and certain procurement processes. The Board assigned file number EB-2007-0707 to this application. The oral hearing of the application began September 8, 2008.

On September 17, 2008, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure issued a directive, "Amendments to Supply Mix Directive Issued June 13, 2006", to the OPA under subsection 25.30(2) of the *Electricity Act*, 1998.

The OPA has requested an opportunity to consider the effect of the directive on the proceeding, and will file a written proposal to address this matter. The Board invites parties to the proceeding to make submissions on the proposal of the OPA.

Please be aware that the Board may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- The Ontario Power Authority shall file a proposal with the Board by September 26, 2008 outlining the steps the Ontario Power Authority proposes for the proceeding going forward, considering the September 17, 2008 Ministerial Directive. A copy of the proposal must be delivered to all intervenors.
- 2. The hearing will be adjourned until **Thursday, October 2, 2008**. On that date, the Board will hear oral submissions on the proposal of the OPA beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Board's west hearing room on the 25th floor of 2300 Yonge St., Toronto.

All filings to the Board must quote file number EB-2007-0707. The Board's mailing address is P.O. Box 2319, 2300 Yonge St., 27th Floor, Toronto ON, M4P 1E4. All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary and be received no later than 4:45 PM on the required date.

DATED at Toronto, September 22, 2008

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