

1 **Ontario Energy Board (Board Staff) INTERROGATORY #19 (Prefiled Evidence)**

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5 With reference to stranding, please explain how there can be any detrimental stranding or
6 adverse rate impacts on Hydro One Network's customers in situations where distribution
7 assets are already paid for and fully depreciated and a potential competitor can construct
8 new distribution assets potentially for a lower cost, and achieve higher density economies
9 of scale?

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12 **Response**

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14 Please refer to Networks' Exhibit J8-10-4.

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