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BY E-MAIL

September 25, 2007

Mr. Allan Frederick
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PUC Distribution Inc.
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Dear Mr. Frederick:

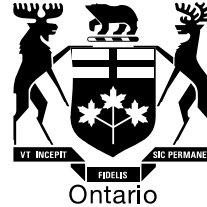
**Re: PUC Distribution Inc. - Request for CDM Extension
Decision and Order
Board File No. EB-2007-0738**

The Board has today issued its Decision and Order in the above matter, and an executed copy is enclosed.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Peter H. O'Dell
Assistant Board Secretary



EB-2007-0738

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 PUC Distribution Inc. seeking a decision and order to make changes to its Conservation and Demand Management plan;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by PUC Distribution Inc. under section 21(4)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, seeking to dispose of the proceeding without a hearing.

BEFORE: Gordon Kaiser
Presiding Member and Vice Chair

Cathy Spoel
Member

DECISION AND ORDER

PUC Distribution Inc. ("PUC" or the "Applicant") filed an application, dated August 23, 2007 for a decision and order seeking an extension of spending approved funds in relation to incremental third tranche spending of its approved Conservation and Demand Management ("CDM") plan. PUC has also requested, pursuant to subsection 21(4)(b) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the "Act") that the Ontario Energy Board (the "Board") dispose of the proceeding without a hearing. The Board assigned file number EB-2007-0738 to this application.

On March 3, 2005, PUC was granted approval of its CDM plan. The total approved budget for PUC's CDM plan is \$886,854.

PUC seeks an extension of the completion date for incremental third tranche CDM expenditures (RP-2004-0203/EB-2004-0458) from September 30, 2007 to April 30, 2008 due to various timeline constraints.

PUC has also requested that the Board dispose of this matter without a hearing pursuant to section 21(4)(b) of the Act. Section 21(4)(b) of the Act states that the Board may dispose of a proceeding without a hearing if the Board determines that “*no person, other than the applicant, appellant or licence holder will be adversely affected in a material way by the outcome of the proceeding and the applicant, appellant or licence holder has consented to disposing of a proceeding without a hearing.*”

The Board approves the deadline extension to complete CDM activities to April 30, 2008 as proposed by PUC.

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

PUC Distribution Inc. is granted an extension to the completion date of third tranche CDM activities to April 30, 2008.

DATED at Toronto, September 25, 2007

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Original signed by

Peter H. O'Dell
Assistant Board Secretary