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To: Licensed Electricity Transmitters

Ontario Energy Board releases revision to Chapter 4 of Filing Requirements for Applications under section 92 for Leave to Construct Transmission Projects

The Ontario Energy Board is issuing updated filing requirements for applications seeking leave to construct transmission lines under section 92 of the OEB Act. These filing requirements align the required information to be filed in applications with the Board’s statutory authority. In addition, various changes have been incorporated for continuous improvement based on experience from recent leave to construct proceedings.

The revision provides common and separate sections for regulated and non-regulated applicants, for clarity, and adds requirements which are expected to be considered in a form of agreement between the applicant and landowners.

Information requirements which are not part of the Board’s statutory mandate, or are not relevant to the Board’s decision-making powers, have been removed, and information in these areas should no longer be submitted.

The previous guidelines (May 17, 2012) will be superseded upon issue of this update.

Any questions relating to this document should be directed to David Richmond at David.Richmond@ontarioenergyboard.ca.

Yours truly,

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