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BY COURIER

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
Suite 2700,
Toronto, ON.
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Dear Ms. Walli:

EB-2011-0004 – OEB Consultation on Developing Guidance for the Implementation of Smart Grid in Ontario – Hydro One Networks Inc. Notice of Participation in Working Group

In response to the Ontario Energy Board's ("the Board's") January 13, 2011 letter to licensed electricity distributors, and other interested parties, Hydro One Networks Inc. ("Hydro One") is requesting to participate in the *Smart Grid Working Group* ("SGWG"). Hydro One would like to nominate Ravi Seethapathy as a representative of electricity distributors on the Board's proposed working groups.

Ravi Seethapathy, is Manager – Systems Innovation & Advanced Grid Development, at Hydro One and currently leads the power systems aspects/technical architecture of its Advanced Distribution Solutions (Smart Grid) program as well as its Corporate Research, Development and Demonstration efforts. He led the Hydro One Corporate Smart Grid Strategy Taskforce in 2008 and from 2006 led the initial efforts in the integration of Distributed Energy Resources ("DER") in the Hydro One Distribution system including creating the Research and Development network involving universities, associations and other forums to study the integration aspects of DERs.

Hydro One is not eligible for, and does not intend to seek an award of costs, as per the Board's Cost Award Guidelines.

Finally, Hydro One requests that documents filed with the Board in this proceeding be served on Hydro One as follows –

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