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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
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Re: Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc. – 2012 3IRM Application OEB-2011-0169
2012 EDR - Disposition of Account 1562 Deferred PILs

Dear Ms. Walli,

Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc.'s 2012 IRM Rate Generator Model and associated documentation is being submitted in accordance with the September 30, 2011 filing deadline, with one exception. On September 13, 2011, the Board issued a letter providing further guidance to distributors relating to the clearance of account 1562 deferred PILs balances. The letter refers to the EB-2008-0381 combined proceeding on the PILs issue. It suggests we refer to evidence filed by Halton Hills' and Hydro One Brampton as well as EB-2011-0073 Board Staff interrogatory #60 in the Oshawa PUC case.

Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc. and West Nipissing Energy Services Ltd. amalgamated in 2008. We need to review and revise the documentation for both LDCs for the 2001-2006 period based on the Board decision. In reviewing other applications we have questions we have directed to staff at the OEB to ensure we are filing data accurately in order to avoid having to re-file. We have yet to confirm responses. The volume of evidence requested by Board staff in the Oshawa interrogatory is also quite substantial.

It is our objective to file the documentation once with accurate information and all of the required supporting schedules. This will take us some time to gather. At this time we are requesting a four (4) week extension on our submission deadline for the PILs disposition component of the rate application. We would hope that this delay would not affect Board approval of our rates for an effective date of May 1, 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Whissell
VP - Corporate Services