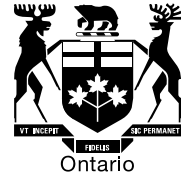


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BY E-MAIL

August 31, 2017

Eryn MacKinnon
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Dear Ms. MacKinnon:

**Re: Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.
Application for Rates
OEB File Number EB-2017-0051**

This will acknowledge receipt on August 28, 2017 of your 2018 cost of service rate application. The OEB has assigned File Number EB-2017-0051 to this matter. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the OEB regarding this matter. All information related to this matter must be filed with the Board Secretary.

The OEB is currently conducting a preliminary review of your application. Upon completion of this review the OEB will communicate the next steps in this proceeding.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Georgette Vlahos, Advisor at 416-544-5169 or georgette.vlahos@oeb.ca.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

John Pickernell
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c: Michael Engelberg, Hydro One Networks Inc.