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Ms. Nancy Marconi, Registrar  
Ontario Energy Board  
PO Box 2319  
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Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: OEB File No. EB-2023-0195, Toronto Hydro-Electric System Limited (“Toronto Hydro”) 2025-2029 Custom Rate Application for Electricity Distribution Rates and Charges – Extensions to Interrogatories on OEB Staff Evidence and Responses**

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On May 1, 2024, OEB Staff filed a letter requesting an extension to the date by when its consultant Pacific Economics Group (“PEG”) shall file an expert report related to the evidence prepared by Clearspring Energy Advisors (“Clearspring”), and other extensions to subsequent procedural steps. Specifically, Staff requested:

- OEB Staff shall file PEG’s report regarding the evidence prepared by Clearspring, and provide a copy to Toronto Hydro and intervenors by **May 6, 2024**.
- If Toronto Hydro or any party seeks any relevant information with respect to this evidence filed, they do so by written interrogatories filed with the OEB, and copied to Toronto Hydro and intervenors, by **May 13, 2024**.
- OEB staff shall file with the OEB any written responses related to the above interrogatories and serve them on Toronto Hydro and intervenors by **May 21, 2024**.

Toronto Hydro has no objections to the first request.

With respect to the second and third requests, Toronto Hydro understands that the shift in timing may affect Clearspring’s ability to complete a fulsome review of the PEG report and formulate interrogatories as necessary. In the interest of providing sufficient time for Toronto Hydro, Clearspring, and other parties to perform discovery on the PEG report, Toronto Hydro requests the date for the filing of written interrogatories to be extended to **May 15, 2024** and the date for OEB Staff to file any written responses to the interrogatories to **May 23, 2024**. The utility submits that these extensions would not impact

subsequent steps in the proceeding, including the Settlement Conference scheduled for May 27 to May 31.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Charles Keizer and Arlen Sternberg, Torys LLP; all intervenors