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March 14, 2025 Our File: EB20240309

Attn: Nancy Marconi, Registrar

Dear Ms. Marconi:

Re: EB-2024-0309 – NT Power Group DVA Disposition – SEC Interrogatories

We are counsel to the School Energy Coalition ("SEC"). Attached, please find SEC's interrogatories.

Yours very truly, Shepherd Rubenstein P.C.

Mark Rubenstein

cc: Brian McKay, SEC (by email) Applicant and intervenors (by email)

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* S.O. 1998, c.15;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Newmarket-Tay Power Distribution Ltd. ("NT Power") for an Order or Orders made pursuant to section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act* for approval to dispose of certain legacy Group 2 deferral and variance accounts (DVA) and consolidate all DVAs for the Midland (MRZ) and Newmarket-Tay (NTRZ) rate zones.

INTERROGATORIES

ON BEHALF OF THE

SCHOOL ENERGY COALITION

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[p.4; DVA Continuity Schedule] NT Power is not showing or referencing Account 1592 – CCA Changes Sub-Account in its evidence. SEC assumes NT Power has no balance in the account.

- a. Has NT Power taken advantage of the Accelerated Investment Incentive to date?
- b. If the answer to part (a) is yes, please provide the appropriate Account 1592 CCA Changes Sub-Account balance and all supporting information, calculations, and relevant CCA continuity schedules.
- c. If the answer to part (a) is yes, please provide a proposal for recovery of the balances.

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[p.5] With respect to Account 1508 – OEB Cost Assessment Sub-Account:

- a. Please provide all calculations used to derive the annual principal entries.
- b. Please provide a table for each rate zone that includes the following information for each year between 2016 to 2024:
 - i. OEB Cost Assessment amount embedded in rates
 - ii. Annual IRM adjustment
 - iii. OEB Cost Assessment amount
 - iv. Utility-specific materiality threshold

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[p.5] With respect to Account 1557 – Meter Cost Deferral Account, please provide supporting information regarding the calculation of principal entries and the prudence of the balances.

Respectfully, submitted on behalf of the School Energy Coalition this March 14, 2025

Mark Rubenstein Counsel for the School Energy Coalition