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Ms. Nancy Marconi
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor
Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Marconi:

**Re: Essex Powerlines Corporation (“EPLC”)
Deferral Account Application (EB-2024-0022 / EB-2024-0096)
Draft Rate Order – Extension Request**

On March 18, 2025, the Ontario Energy Board (“OEB”) issued Decision and Order EB-2024-0022/EB-2024-0096 wherein EPLC was directed to file draft rate order with a proposed Tariff of Rates and Charges on March 28, 2025. EPLC was directed to make updates reflecting 2025 Cost of Capital parameters, 2025 Uniform Transmission Rates, Regulated Price Plan pricing, and customer rate impacts.

On March 27, 2025, the OEB issued its decision on the cost of capital parameters and deemed capital structure to be used to set rates in EB-2024-0063 (“**Cost of Capital Decision**”). On March 28, 2025, EPLC filed its draft rate order with a proposed Tariff of Rates and Charges. This filing did not account for the changes in rates resulting from the Cost of Capital Decision.

EPLC is requesting an extension to April 1, 2025 to refile its draft rate order with a proposed Tariff of Rates and Charges to April 1, 2025 to incorporate the changes flowing from the Cost of Capital Decision. EPLC submits this extension will result in greater regulatory efficiency. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

BORDEN LADNER GERVAIS LLP

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Colm Boyle'.

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