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Dear Ms. Ramage/Ms. Boyd:

Re: NFAT AND Manitoba Hydro's Internal Load Forecast

The Terms of Reference issued in respect of the NFAT defines "Commercially Sensitive Information" to include the internal, non-public load forecast prepared by MH on an annual basis. MH recognizes, in its October 16, 2013 letter, that the PUB is entitled to access the Internal Load Forecast as part of the PUB's NFAT Review.

Manitoba Hydro acknowledges and agrees, in its October 25, 2013 letter, that the NFAT Terms of Reference designate the ILPFs as Commercially Sensitive Information.

Further to the Board's Order 92/13, its letters of October 21 and 23, 2013, and the Subpoena issued at the request of Manitoba Hydro, the Board has deliberated further in respect of Manitoba Hydro's Internal Load Forecasts (ILFs).

Manitoba Hydro is hereby directed to immediately place the ILFs, that are the subject of the Subpoena, in the CSI rooms and to scan and include them in the SharePoint site that Manitoba Hydro has established with the Internal Expert Consultants (IECs) to ensure the IECs mentioned in Manitoba Hydro's October 16, 2013 letter have immediate access to the ILFs.

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To the extent that there are Information Requests of Manitoba Hydro in respect of the ILFs, such IRs are to be filed in confidence with Manitoba Hydro and the Board as soon as possible. To date, no Intervener counsel has executed the Non-Disclosure Agreement as required by the Terms of Reference, and therefore, will not have access to the ILFs or any confidential IRs.

Yours truly,

“Original signed by”

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