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NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND ORAL HEARING

Application by Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. for a Final Order Pre-approving its Conservation and Demand Management Plan

Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. (Applicant) has filed an application dated November 1, 2004 with the Ontario Energy Board for a Final Order pre-approving its Conservation and Demand Management Plan (CDM Plan). The Board assigned File No. RP-2004-0203/EB-2004-0483 to this application.

On May 31, 2004, the Minister of Energy granted approval to all distributors in Ontario to apply to the Board for an increase in their 2005 rates by the third installment of their incremental market adjusted revenue requirement (MARR). This approval is conditional on a commitment to reinvest an equivalent amount in CDM initiatives.

On October 19, 2004, the Board granted to Milton Hydro Distribution Inc. an interim approval of the CDM Plan (RP-2003-0203/EB-2004-0408).

The elements of the CDM Plan are as follows: conservation assets program, price response program design; aggregator development program as a demand response initiative; energy drill program; building partnership; and program planning, management and coordination activities.

The total budget for the CDM plan is approximately \$ 761,632 which is consistent with the amount of the third installment of its MARR.

The Board intends to proceed with the application by way of oral hearing which is scheduled to be held on December 10, 2004 commencing at 9:30 am at the Board's Offices in Toronto.

Copies of the Application and the pre-filed evidence in support of the Application are available for public inspection at the Board's offices, and at the Applicant's head office at addresses below.

If you wish to participate in this proceeding you **must** make a submission to the Board Secretary within 10 calendar days of the publication of this Notice stating your interest in the proceeding and how you intend to participate. Information on how to participate may be obtained by calling the Board's Customer Service Centre toll-free at 1-877-632-2727 or by e-mail to Boardsec@oeb.gov.on.ca.

IMPORTANT

IF YOU DO NOT REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE, THE BOARD MAY PROCEED IN YOUR ABSENCE AND YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO ANY FURTHER NOTICE OF THIS PROCEEDING.

Dated at Toronto November 12, 2004

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