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Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
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Dear Ms. Walli:

**Re: Ontario Energy Board ("OEB") Review of the Ontario Power Authority's
("OPA's") Integrated Power System Plan ("IPSP") and Procurement
Processes
OEB File No.: EB-2006-0207**

We are counsel to the Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario ("AMPCO").

Further to your letter dated September 1, 2006, AMPCO wishes to register its participation with the Board regarding the upcoming consultation regarding the OPA's IPSP and Procurement Processes. AMPCO also hereby applies for eligibility for an award of costs in this matter. Our client offers the following comments with respect to its eligibility for costs.

AMPCO is a province-wide industry association that advocates competitive electricity rates and promotes a reliable supply of electricity for all customers. AMPCO's members represent a wide range of resource, manufacturing and processing industries that use very large amounts of electrical energy (over 5 MW of demand each). Collectively, AMPCO members consume approximately 17% of the province's annual electricity supply (or approximately 25 TWh of electricity annually) – consumption worth well in excess of \$1 Billion per annum. AMPCO and its approximately 55 member companies, which comprise the largest industrial electricity consumer advocacy group in Canada, are well known to the Board. AMPCO is a frequent participant in Ontario Energy Board ("OEB") proceedings in which matters of relevance to Ontario's large electricity consumers are being addressed.

AMPCO and its member companies will be directed impacted by the outcomes associated with OPA's IPSP and Procurement Processes in terms of overall prices to be

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paid for electricity services as well as the effect of the IPSP and the Procurement Processes on the overall adequacy and reliability of electricity in Ontario.

Notice

We request that copies of all documents and correspondence pertaining to this consultation be served on AMPCO as follows:

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We thank you for your attention to this matter and we trust that this letter will be sufficient for including AMPCO in the upcoming consultation and for the OEB's confirmation of AMPCO's eligibility for a cost award in this proceeding. Should you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours very truly,

BORDEN LADNER GERVAIS LLP

Original Signed by J. Mark Rodger

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Copies to: Mr. Adam White, AMPCO President
Ms. Miriam Heniz, Ontario Power Authority