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April 3, 2006

John Zych Ontario Energy Board Suite 2701 2300 Yonge Street Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Mr. Zych:

Re: EB-2006-0064/Proposed Regulatory Process for Setting Payment Amounts for Ontario Power Generation Inc.'s ("OPG") Prescribed Generation Assets

We are counsel to the Consumers Council of Canada ("Council"). On behalf of our client we advise you of its desire to participate in the Board's proposed regulatory process for setting payment amounts for OPG's prescribed generation assets, as described in the Board's letter of March 21, 2006.

The Council is a public interest organization which represents the interests of the broad spectrum of residential consumers of electricity in Ontario. The Council has been an active participant in most, if not all, of the Board's processes dealing with the setting of rates for generators and distributors of electricity. The Council and its constituents have an interest in how prices for OPG's designated generation assets are established, as these prices will have an impact on the rates paid by residential consumers.

The Council has no source of funds to support its intervention in this matter. It will, accordingly, be seeking an award of costs. The Council has, in all other Board proceedings dealing with electricity matters, been found to be eligible to claim an award of 100% of its reasonably-incurred costs.

The Council's principal representative in this process will be Ms Julie Girvan. Copies of all relevant materials should be sent to the writer, and to Ms Girvan. Ms Girvan's contact information is as follows: Julie Girvan, 2 Penrose Road, Toronto, ON., M4S 1P1, telephone: 416-322-7936, fax: 416-32209703, email: jgirvan@ca.inter.net.

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