NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR HYDRO RELIABILITY AND RESOURCE ADEQUACY STUDY REVIEW

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE

On November 16, 2018 Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro (Hydro) filed a *Reliability and Resource Adequacy Study* (the "Study") addressing both near-term and long-term reliability and supply adequacy for the province's electrical system before and after the integration of the Muskrat Falls Project. The Study sets out Hydro's view of near-term resource adequacy, long-term resource planning considerations and the resource options available to meet its proposed planning criteria. Hydro filed an update to the Study on November 15, 2019.

The Liberty Consulting Group was engaged by the Board to review the Study and has now filed a report which sets out its conclusions and recommendations. The Study, Liberty's report and other information relevant to this matter are available on the Board's website (www.pub.nl.ca).

The Board is now inviting anyone interested in becoming a party in its Reliability and Resource Adequacy Study Review to apply for intervenor status.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

To become an intervenor you must apply to the Board by way of an intervenor's submission in accordance with Section 9 of the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities Regulations, 1996. The form to be used is available on the Board's website at www.pub.nl.ca or by request from the Board Secretary at (709)726-8600. Intervenor submission forms must be filed with the Board by **3:00 p.m., January 17, 2020.**

An interested person or organization can also participate in this review by making a presentation at the public hearing or by submitting a letter of comment. The Board will publish a further notice of the schedule for the public hearing, including dates for the filing of requests to make a presentation and letters of comment.

HOW TO CONTACT THE BOARD

All correspondence and requests for further information should be submitted to the Board Secretary as set out below.

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Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 11th day of December 2019.

Cheryl Blundon Board Secretary