

EB-2013-0047

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Northland Power Solar Empire L.P., Northland Power Solar Martin's Meadows L.P., Northland Power Solar Abitibi L.P., and Northland Power Solar Long Lake L.P. for an order or orders pursuant to section 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* granting leave to construct transmission facilities in the Town of Cochrane and Township of Clute.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 2 May 23, 2013

Northland Power Solar Empire L.P., Northland Power Solar Martin's Meadows L.P., Northland Power Solar Abitibi L.P., and Northland Power Solar Long Lake L.P. (collectively the "Applicant") have filed an application with the Board, dated February 12, 2013, under sections 92, 96(2), and 97 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B. The Applicant has applied for an order of the Board granting leave to construct an electricity transmission line and related facilities which will connect four solar power generating facilities near the Town of Cochrane to the provincial transmission system. The Applicant is also seeking Board approval of the form of easement agreements that have been or will be offered to affected landowners. The Board has assigned file number EB-2013-0047 to this application.

The Board issued a Notice of Application and Written Hearing on March 7, 2013.

On April 8, 2013, the Board issued Procedural Order No. 1, outlining the scope of the Board's jurisdiction, granting the Applicant's request to afford certain information confidential status, and setting out a schedule for a round of interrogatories. The Board also granted an intervention request from the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO).

The Applicant responded to the interrogatories as directed in Procedural Order No.1

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The IESO and Board staff shall file final submissions with the Board and deliver them to the Applicant and all other parties on or before **Friday**, **May 31**, **2013**.
- 2. The Applicant, with input from HONI as necessary, shall file with the Board and deliver to the IESO its Reply Submission, on or before **Monday**, **June 10**, **2013**.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2013-0047, be made through the Board's web portal at https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at www.ontarioenergyboard.ca. If the web portal is not available you may email your document to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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DATED at Toronto, May 23, 2013

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