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March 4, 2010

Mr. G. Gaudreau  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD  
400 - 330 Portage Avenue  
WINNIPEG, Manitoba  
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Dear Mr. Gaudreau:

**RE: INFORMATION REQUESTS**

As indicated in Manitoba Hydro's letter of February 24, 2010, Manitoba Hydro is filing responses to those information requests (IR's) that have been completed and reviewed as of today's date. Manitoba Hydro will file another batch of IR responses on or before March 11, 2010. Any remaining IR responses will be filed as soon as possible thereafter.

It has been acknowledged by all parties that the volume of IR's submitted to Manitoba Hydro is unprecedented. It is further noted that many IR's were received as late as February 19, 2010 by Manitoba Hydro, and many were unrelated to Manitoba Hydro's General Rate Application. Notwithstanding this, in the spirit of cooperation, Manitoba Hydro is attempting to answer the submitted IR's on a best efforts basis. However, Manitoba Hydro respectfully requests that all parties restrict any second round IR's to the topics which are directly relevant to the General Rate Application.

Yours truly,

**MANITOBA HYDRO LAW DEPARTMENT**

Per:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'PJR', written over a white background.

**PATRICIA J. RAMAGE**  
Barrister & Solicitor

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