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Ms. Doreen Friis
Regulatory Affairs Officer/Clerk
Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board
1601 Lower Water Street, 3rd Floor
Halifax, NS B3J 3S3

Dear Ms. Friis:

Re: M08888 - EfficiencyOne - Approval of Use of Measure Level Non-Energy Benefits

The Consumer Advocate has carefully reviewed the submissions of EfficiencyOne filed February 24, 2020.

The Consumer Advocate supports EfficiencyOne's position that the NSUARB, in assessing proposed electricity efficiency and conservation activities, has the jurisdiction to take into account non-energy impacts in cost effectiveness testing.

It is noted that the Board unquestionably has jurisdiction to define the test that should be applied in selecting DSM measures that will be paid for by ratepayers.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "W. L. Mahody".

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