

July 8, 2026

Dear Parties:

M12780 – EfficiencyOne – 2027-2031 DSM Plan – Hearing Logistics

The Board received the following requests for virtual attendance at the upcoming hearing:

Board Counsel Consultants:

Alice Napoleon (Synapse) and Gil Peach (H. Gil Peach and Associates)

Consumer Advocate:

Theo Love (Green Energy Economics)

Eastward Energy:

Chris Pulfer (Posterity Group)

Nova Scotia Power:

Sanem Sergici (The Brattle Group) and Sai Shetty (The Brattle Group)

The Board did not receive any objections to the above witnesses testifying virtually, therefore, the above-mentioned witnesses will testify virtually at the hearing.

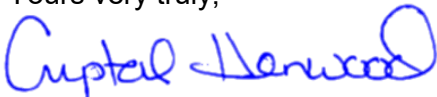
Practice sessions will be required for any witness that has not recently testified virtually before the Board. The Board's hearing assistant will coordinate with the witnesses to schedule a practice session.

Given that the hearing will run in-person and virtually, please note the following important technical requirements:

- A camera will be placed at the applicant's table for counsel, the witness table and at the cross-examination table. Counsel and intervenors participating are asked to attend the cross-examination table during their questioning.

Please provide any exhibits that will be introduced at the hearing to Robert Norwood (robert.norwood@novascotia.ca) and Svitlana Lykhina (svitlana.lykhina@novascotia.ca) before the hearing commences each day.

Yours very truly,



Crystal Henwood
Clerk of the Board