

September 14, 2026

Crystal Henwood  
Clerk of the Board  
Nova Scotia Energy Board  
1601 Lower Water Street, 3rd Floor  
Halifax, NS B3J 3S3

**Re: M13008 – NS Power RTR Market Elements Application – Request to Incorporate Large Industrial Interruptible Service Enablement**

Dear Ms. Henwood:

Nova Scotia Power Incorporated (NS Power, Company) writes further to its August 31, 2026 letter filed in matter M12551, in which the Company advised the Board of its intention to request that tariff and process provisions enabling Large Industrial Interruptible Service (LIIR) in the Renewable to Retail (RtR) market be considered for inclusion in this proceeding. After careful consideration, REI and NS Power are in agreement that the LIIR matter should proceed as a standalone application so as not to disrupt the hearing order in M13008 that is well underway.

Given the collaborative groundwork already completed with REI on this issue, NS Power aims to file its application incorporating the LIIR-related tariff and process amendments as a standalone matter by **October 30, 2026**. The Company submits that this timeline reflects the advanced state of the parties' work to date and, if the Board considers it appropriate, may allow the proposed amendments to be considered through a process similar to M13008. The proposed LIIR amendments are expected to be limited in scope and largely reflect the existing LIIR service offering currently available from NS Power, such that they are not anticipated to raise significant new issues for consideration.

NS Power and REI are making efforts to have these matters resolved by the end of 2026 in order to support REI's project timeline, while recognizing that the Board will determine the process and timing it considers appropriate.

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Please direct any further communication to the undersigned.

Yours truly,



Jennifer Power  
Director, Regulatory

cc. Brianne Rudderham, Counsel for REI