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July 26, 2017

#### THE PROPONENT

Name of Proponent	NB Power
Corporate Address of Proponent	P.O. Box 2000, 515 King Street Fredericton, NB E3B 4X1
President & Chief Executive Officer	Mr. Gaëtan Thomas
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Property Ownership	Please refer to Section 1.3 of the EIA Registration Document

#### THE PROJECT

Name of Undertaking	International Power Line Project: Woodstock to Houlton, Maine (Transmission Line 0155)
Project Overview	Please refer to Section 1.2 of the EIA Registration Document
Purpose / Rationale / Need for Undertaking	Please refer to Section 1.6 of the EIA Registration Document
Project Location	Please refer to Section 2.2 of the EIA Registration Document
Siting Considerations	Please refer to Section 2.3 of the EIA Registration Document
Physical Components and Dimensions of the Project	Please refer to Section 2.4 of the EIA Registration Document
Construction Details	Please refer to Section 2.5.1 of the EIA Registration Document
Operation and Maintenance Details	Please refer to Section 2.5.2 of the EIA Registration Document
Future Modifications, Extensions, or Abandonment	Please refer to Section 2.5.3 of the EIA Registration Document
Project-Related Documents	Please refer to Section 1.5 of the EIA Registration Document

# **Description of the Existing Environment**

The description of relevant features that are found within the Project location and surrounding areas that could potentially be affected by the Project are provided in Section 3.0, and within the descriptions of the specific VCs, found in Section 4.0 of the EIA Registration Document.

# **Summary of Environmental Impacts**

Potential environmental effects, or "impacts," of the various Project phases are provided in Section 4.0of the EIA Registration Document.



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### **Summary of Proposed Mitigation**

Mitigation by design or that will be implemented during all phases is summarized in Section 5.0, and discussed in relation to the potential Project-related environmental interactions in Section 4.0 of the EIA Registration Document. These mitigation measures will be provided in more detail in the Environmental Protection Plan, which will be submitted under separate cover.

#### **Public Involvement**

A brief summary of the public involvement activities planned as part of the Project is provided in Section 7.0 of the EIA Registration Document.

#### Approval of the Undertaking

Permits, licenses, approvals, and other regulatory requirements and authorizations that may be required for the Project are discussed in Section 1.6 of the EIA Registration Document. A federal environmental assessment under the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act 2012* is not required, as it is not a designated project.

# **Funding**

Funding for the Project is being provided primarily by Houlton Water Company. No provincial or federal funding is anticipated.

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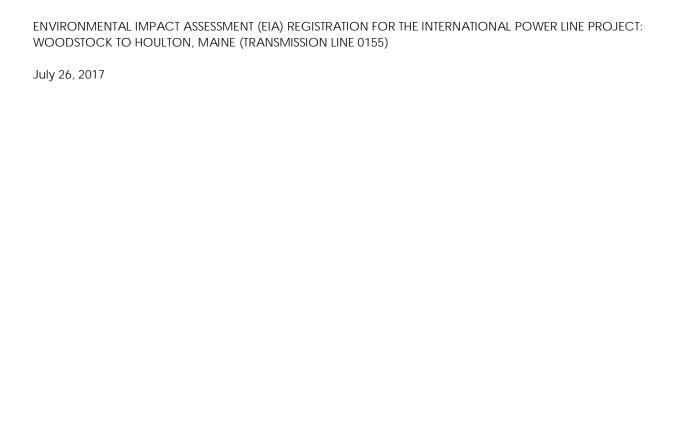


 Table A.1
 Parcel Identifiers (PID) of Properties Crossed by the Project

10175297	10259612	10202828	0000003	10202778	0000003
10074250	10259661	10251577	10201549	10259679	10202786
10073096	10251346	10202802	10251312	10251643	10174860
10034411	10251361	10202810	10259588	10251486	10262087
10175313	10251353	10202596	10251189	10259695	10251668
10034973	10124246	10259596	10251379	10251551	10174894
10124592	10168896	10259570	10251429	10251494	10259638
10169050	10168904	10259562	10253003	10251544	10174878
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Letter from Regional Service District 12 confirming that the Project conforms to rural land use planning for the South Central Carleton County Planning Area.







March 10, 2017

Energy NB Power C.P. 2000 515 King St Fredericton, NB E3B 4X1

## RE: Proposed International Power Line (Woodstock NB - Houlton ME)

To Whom It May Concern,

Western Valley Regional Service Commission has been asked to provide confirmation that the proposed project is permitted under the *South Central Carleton County Planning Area Rural Plan Regulation -Community Planning Act.* 

Section 2.2(4) of the above referenced regulation states that the supply of electrical power is permitted in any zone within created by the regulation. Therefore, this office can confirm that for those properties covered by the aforementioned regulation, the use of the land for the supplying of power is considered a permitted use.

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If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact the undersigned.

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Order in Council (2014-372) designating the New Brunswick
Department of Environment and Local Government as the provincial regulatory agency for the Project, under Section 58.17 of the National Energy Board Act.





# AUGUST 13, 2014

# 2014-372

Under section 58.17 of the National Energy Board Act, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council designates the Minister of Environment and Local Government as a provincial regulatory agency for a proposed international power line between Woodstock, New Brunswick and Houlton, Maine.

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Lieutenant-Governor

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This is to certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an Order of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council of the Je certifie que le document qui précède est une copie conforme d'un décret du lieutenant-gouverneur en conseil

Province of New Brunswick, made on the de la province du Nouveau-Brunswick, pris le

13 August 2014.

Deputy Clerk of the Executive Council/Greffier suppléant du Conseil exécutif

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