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**RE: Application for On-Island Capacity for Security of Supply Project
Commission Docket UE20742**

As you know, on May 1, 2025, the Prince Edward Island Regulatory and Appeals Commission (the "Commission") issued Order UE25-03 granting intervener status with respect to Maritime Electric's Application for On-Island Capacity for Security of Supply Project (the "Application"). The purpose of this correspondence is to update the parties on procedural matters and next steps.

The Commission has retained an independent expert, Synapse Energy Economics, Inc. ("Synapse"), to assist with the review of the Application. Synapse has issued its initial interrogatories to Maritime Electric Company, Limited ("MECL"), and has requested a technical session with both MECL and its experts. Enclosed is the Commission's correspondence to MECL that addresses these matters.

In response to this correspondence, MECL has made several requests for confidentiality. In particular, the requests for confidentiality relate to Appendix E and Appendix F of the Application, the response to IR-2 issued by Synapse, and the technical session.

MECL's requests for confidentiality must be addressed before this Application can proceed. Although MECL has now filed its responses to Synapse's interrogatories, those responses cannot be shared with the interveners or the public until MECL's request for confidentiality is resolved. Likewise, the technical session cannot proceed until MECL's request for confidentiality regarding the technical session is resolved.

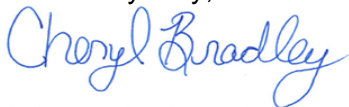
Enclosed are copies of MECL's initial request for confidentiality, the Commission's email to MECL seeking additional information, and MECL's response.

The Commission intends to follow the process set out in the *Rules of Practice & Procedure* in dealing with MECL's requests for confidentiality. That process can be found in Rules 51 to 54, inclusive.

In accordance with Rule 52, each intervener (PEI Energy Corporation, Energy Democracy Now!, and Mr. Bevan-Baker) will have the opportunity to object to MECL's requests for confidentiality. Any objection must be served and filed no later than **4:00 p.m. on June 9, 2025**.

As noted, because MECL's requests for confidentiality relate to the Application, the interrogatory responses, and the technical session, MECL's requests must be addressed before the Application can proceed. Once all matters of confidentiality are resolved, the Commission will schedule a technical session without delay.

Yours very truly,



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Enclosures: Initial Interrogatories issued by Synapse (May 2, 2025)
Correspondence to MECL regarding IRs and Technical Session (May 2, 2025)
MECL initial request for confidentiality (May 16, 2025)
Correspondence to MECL requesting additional information (May 26, 2025)
MECL additional information & abridged Appendix F (May 28, 2025)