



Docket: UE20945
Order: UE21-07

IN THE MATTER of an application by Maritime Electric Company, Limited for an order approving changes to the Open Access Transmission Tariff Schedules and for certain approvals incidental to such an order, pursuant to section 20 of the *Electric Power Act*, RSPEI 1988, c. E-4;

AND IN THE MATTER of a request for intervener status made on behalf of the City of Summerside, pursuant to the Rules of Practice & Procedure.

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY

Cheryl Mosher

Cheryl Mosher,
Senior Financial Advisor
Island Regulatory & Appeals Commission

Order

BEFORE THE COMMISSION ON Thursday, the 23rd day of September, 2021.

J. Scott MacKenzie, Q.C., Chair
M. Douglas Clow, Vice-Chair
Erin T. Mitchell, Commissioner

BACKGROUND:

1. On July 30, 2021, Maritime Electric Company, Limited (“Maritime Electric”) filed an application with the Island Regulatory and Appeals Commission (the “Commission”) seeking approval for certain changes to the Open Access Transmission Tariff (“OATT”) Schedules (the “Application”).
2. Following receipt of the Application, the Commission gave public notice through a publication in local newspapers and on the Commission website. In the notice, the Commission invited interested parties to request intervener status, in accordance with the Commission’s Rules of Practice & Procedure. Requests for intervention were to be submitted by September 15, 2021.
3. On September 14, 2021, the Commission received a request for intervention from the City of Summerside (“COS”). The COS requests to be recognized as an Added Party Intervener with respect to the Application.
4. In support of its request, the COS states that it is a user of the Prince Edward Island electricity transmission system. As a rate payer under the OATT, it will be affected should the rate increases being requested in the Application be approved by the Commission.
5. The COS also explained that it intends to actively participate in the Application.
6. Maritime Electric, as the applicant, does not oppose the COS’s request to intervene in the Application.

DECISION:

7. The Commission has reviewed the request for intervener status filed by the COS and is satisfied that the COS has a distinct and substantial interest in the Application and intends to participate actively in the proceeding. As a result, the Commission approves the request for Added Party Intervener status as filed by the COS.

The Commission Orders:

1. The request for intervener status is approved, and the City of Summerside is granted Added Party Intervener status with respect to the Application.

DATED at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, this 23rd day of September, 2021.

BY THE COMMISSION:

(sgd) J. Scott MacKenzie

J. Scott MacKenzie, Q.C., Chair

(sgd) M. Douglas Clow

M. Douglas Clow, Vice-Chair

(sgd) Erin T. Mitchell

Erin T. Mitchell, Commissioner