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### Re: Feedback- Expanding Participation in Operating Reserve and Energy (“EPOR-E”)

We are writing on behalf of our client H2GO Canada (“**H2GO**”). H2GO is a not for profit organization established to help accelerate the development of sustainable markets for low-carbon hydrogen and hydrogen technologies in Canada. H2GO’s mission is to help make hydrogen systems and storage solutions a practical option for organizations in Canada that are seeking to reduce emissions within their operations.


H2GO appreciates that the initial focus of the EPOR-E initiative is directed towards enhancing the participation of new energy resources in the energy and operating reserve market. Enhancing the reliability of the grid by increasing the participation of resources which add to the operating reserve, thereby reducing the cost of electricity, would be very positive outcomes.

We look forward to exploring ways in which the underlying goal of improving the operational flexibility of the IESO can be supported not only by enhancing the participation of resources which increase the operating reserve, but which also draw electricity when demand is low, with the objective of displacing future loads when demand peaks.

While we are not providing substantive comment at this time, the EPOR-E initiative is a focus for H2GO and we will continue to monitor IESO’s website for additional updates on the status of the work with a view towards engaging more substantively as progress is made.

Yours truly,

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cc: Bob Oliver, CEO H2GO Canada

