

EB-2009-0117

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c. 15, (Schedule B);

AND IN THE MATTER OF a Notice of Intention to Make an Order for an Administrative Penalty against Direct Energy Marketing Limited.

ORDER

Whereas, pursuant to section 112.5 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the "Act"), the Board issued a Notice of Intention to Make an Order for the payment of an Administrative Penalty (the "Notice") against Direct Energy Marketing Limited ("DE") on April 23, 2009;

And whereas, DE was informed that it had fifteen days after receiving the Notice to give notice to the Board requiring the Board to hold a hearing and DE has decided not to request a hearing;

And whereas, DE has agreed to pay the penalty in the amount of \$15,000;

NOW THEREFORE THE BOARD ORDERS THAT, pursuant to section 112.5 of the Act and being satisfied that DE contravened an enforceable provision of the Act, DE will pay an administrative penalty in the amount of \$15,000 by cheque payable to the Ontario Energy Board.

DATED at Toronto, May 5, 2009.

Original signed by

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary