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Best regards,

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Subject Invitation to the 2nd Annual Northwest Ontario Electricity Forum

You are invited to attend the 2nd Annual Northwest Ontario Electricity Forum being held on December 2, 2015 in Thunder Bay.

Hosted by the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO), the forum is your opportunity to get involved in the discussion about electricity activities across northwest Ontario including the next steps beyond planning. The forum will also provide networking opportunities to re-connect and discuss electricity matters with the IESO and colleagues from across the region.

Key topics to be discussed at this year's forum include:

- An update on the merged IESO and provincial electricity planning by the IESO's new head of electricity planning – Michael Lyle, Vice President, Planning, Legal and Aboriginal Relations
- A discussion of the latest northwest Ontario load forecast and a review of the near-term supply outlook
- Open house style break-out sessions on each of the regional plans under development in the northwest - Thunder Bay, West of Thunder Bay, Greenstone-Marathon - where you can speak with the planning leads one-on-one
- An update on transmission and bulk planning activities in the area
- Panel sessions on "Getting from Plans to Projects" and "Customer Support Programs"

The meeting details are:

Date: Thursday, December 2

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (registration and breakfast at 8:30, meeting begins at 9:00 a.m.)

Location: Best Western Plus Nor'Wester, 2080 Highway 61, Thunder Bay

All attendees must register in advance of the meeting. Please RSVP your attendance by November 20, 2015 via email to ontarioregionalplanning@ieso.ca or call 416-969-6397 – please include any dietary restrictions in your email.

For those who are unable to attend in person, the meeting will also be broadcast as a simultaneous webinar where you will be able to listen to the meeting, view the presentations and ask questions over the phone.

The webinar will start at 9:00 a.m. and will be available at the following:

URL: <http://www.meetview.com/ieso20151202/>

Toll-free: 1-888-239-2037

We hope you can join us on December 2 for the Northwest Ontario Electricity Forum.

Independent Electricity System Operator

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