

Staffing announcement - Sunita Chander

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I am writing to advise that Sunita Chander has agreed to take on a new role at the Ministry of Finance as the Director of the Financial Services Regulatory Modernization Secretariat in the Financial Services Policy Division. I know you will join me in congratulating Sunita on this opportunity and in missing her terribly at our own Ministry.

For the past five years, Sunita has been with SNAP as the Director of the Distribution and Agency Policy Branch, and previously, as the Manager of the Regulatory and Agency Policy Branch. Throughout this time, Sunita has been at the eye of the storm in many critical files, including the Ontario Fair Hydro Plan, the 2017 Long Term Energy Plan, the merger of the OPA and the IESO, the development of Bill 112 to enhance the Ontario Energy Board's roles and responsibilities, and the development of Bill 135 which changed the long-term planning framework. Since joining ENERGY in 2006, Sunita has worked in all areas of the Ministry, including as an Economist in Energy Supply and as an ADM's EA and Team Lead in what is now CRED. Sunita's depth in energy policy will be missed.

I will also personally miss Sunita's candid advice, her practical approach to her work and the levity that Sunita brings to the office. I consider myself very fortunate to have had the opportunity to work with Sunita directly since joining SNAP. Sunita's last day with us is January 12th. An announcement about plans for the Director role will be forthcoming.

Please join me in congratulating Sunita on her new role.

Carolyn