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Subject: Draft chapters of ECO energy report for IESO review
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Good afternoon Rouselle,

As indicated earlier in the week, our office has now completed a preliminary draft of volume two of the ECO's annual energy conservation report, which is a general year in review of the progress of activities in energy conservation in Ontario. I am sending a **confidential draft** of the chapters relevant to the IESO for your internal review. Please pass along to the appropriate staff in the IESO for review. Please note that relevant sections are also being shared with other affected ministries, including the Ministry of Energy, and the Ontario Energy Board.

I have attached the following chapters:

- **Chapter 1, Introduction**, provides an overview of the report.
- **Chapter 2, Ontario Energy Use in 2015**, presents a statistical look at trends in energy use in Ontario for all major sources of energy, and what impact energy conservation has had on our overall energy use. This chapter also looks at trends in energy prices, which affect energy consumption. Some IESO data on electricity use is included in this chapter.
- **Chapter 3, Ontario Energy Policy in 2016**, is a fuel-by-fuel summary and timeline of the key laws, regulations, policies, and funding decisions made in 2016 that affect energy use and conservation in Ontario. Several initiative relative to the IESO are noted.
- **Chapter 4, Progress on Ontario Conservation Targets**, summarizes results achieved towards Ontario's energy conservation targets, such as the long-range electricity conservation target established in the Long-Term Energy Plan. Several IESO targets are noted.
- **Chapter 6, Electricity Conservation Program Results**, assesses the 2015 results of conservation programs delivered by the Independent Electricity System Operator and Ontario's electric distributors, and funded by electricity ratepayers. Most of this chapter's content is relevant to the IESO.

If the IESO wishes to provide any factual corrections or technical comments on these chapters, please send them to me electronically by no later than **Friday, July 21, 2017**. If the IESO has no corrections/comments, please inform me of this. Comments will be used by the ECO as appropriate to make changes to the draft report. Because this report is data-focused and will not contain recommendations, we do not anticipate providing space for a formal IESO response to this report.

***Confidentiality of the report:** the ECO is now sending out drafts of our reports electronically (rather than hard copies). These drafts are to be kept strictly confidential. You may distribute the chapters electronically to individuals within the IESO as appropriate for the purposes of reviewing for factual errors and providing technical comment; however, all individuals must be reminded of the terms regarding confidentiality.

Please contact me directly if you have any questions. Please note that I am on vacation the week of July 17-21. During this time, you may contact Afreen Khan (Afreen.khan@eco.on.ca) with any questions. Thank you for your consideration and I look forward to receiving any IESO comments.

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