



Form B Connection Impact Assessment (CIA) Application

This Application Form is for Generators applying for Connection Impact Assessment (“CIA”) and for Generators with a project size >10 kW, including:

- **New** Generators applying for Connection Impact Assessment (“CIA”)
- **New** Generators applying for revision to their original Connection Impact Assessment (“CIA”)
- Generators applying for Connection Impact Assessment (“CIA”) after rescinding a previous CIA.
Note: Please include your previous CIA Project ID # below.
- **Existing** Generators to verify information related to current connection to the Hydro One system. It is part of the overall Distribution Connection Agreement.

Please return the completed form, fees and other required documents by mail to:

Westario Power Inc.
Attn:Operations Department
Generation Connection Application
24 Eastridge Road RR2
Walkerton On.
NOG 2VO

If you have any questions please e-mail Westario Power Inc. at microfit@westario.com or call 1-519-507-6666 ext 252 or 236 (8:30 am to 4:00 pm Mon to Fri).

NOTES:

- 1) Applicants are cautioned NOT to incur major expenses until Westario Power Inc. approves to connect the proposed generation facility.
- 2) All technical submissions (Form B, single line diagrams, etc.) must be signed and sealed by a licensed Ontario Professional Engineer (P.Eng.).
- 3) All fields below are mandatory, except where noted. Incomplete applications shall be returned by Westario Power Inc.

Date: _____ (dd / mm / yyyy)

Application Type: New CIA Application CIA Revision/Rework

1. Original CIA Project ID# (if applicable): _____ Project Name: _____

2. Ontario Power Authority (OPA) Feed-In Tariff (FIT) Contract Number: _____

3. Proposed In- Service Date: _____(dd / mm / yyyy)

4. Project Size: Nameplate Capacity _____ kW



5. Project Location: Address _____
 City / Town / Township _____
 Lot Number(s) _____
 Concession Number(s) _____

6. Project Information:
 Choose a Single Point of Contact: Owner Consultant

	Generator (Mandatory)	Owner (Mandatory)	Consultant (Optional)
Company/Person			
Contact Person			
Mailing Address Line 1			
Mailing Address Line 2			
Telephone			
Cell			
Fax			
E-mail			

Preferred method of communication with Hydro One: E-mail Telephone Mail Fax

7. Customer Status:
 Existing Westario Power Inc. Customer? Yes No
 If yes, Westario Power Inc. Account Number: _____
 Customer name registered in this Account: _____
 Are you a GST registrant? Yes No
 If yes, provide your GST registration number: _____ - _____ RT _____

8. Fuel / Renewable Energy Type:
 Biomass Solar Water Wind
 Diesel Engine Gas Turbine
 Other (Please Specify) _____

- 9. Generator’s Facilities and New Line Map:**
- *In the following items, “Point of Connection” means the point where the new Generator’s connection assets or new line expansion assets will be connected to the existing Hydro One distribution system.*
 - *“Point of Common Coupling” or “PCC” or “Point of Supply” means the point where the Generator’s facilities are to connect to Hydro One’s distribution system.*
 - *The Point of Connection and the PCC may be the same, especially if the Generator’s facilities lie along the existing Westario Power Inc. distribution system; or the PCC may be located somewhere between*



the **Point of Connection** and the Generator's facilities if new line will be owned by Westario Power inc. For illustration of the **Point of Connection** and the **PCC**, refer to Appendix A attached.

On a cut-out from the Westario Power Inc. DOM (distribution operating map) provide location of Generator's facilities with proposed line routings for connection to Westario Power Inc.distribution system. It should identify the Point of Connection, the PCC, and the location (i.e. on private property or public road right-of-ways) of new lines between the Generator's facilities and the Point of Connection.

Drawing / Sketch No. _____, Rev. _____

10. Connection to Westario Power Inc. Distribution System:

- a. Proposed or existing Connection voltage to WPI distribution system: _____ kV
- b. Station: _____
- c. Feeder: _____
- d. GPS coordinates of the following:
(Please give GPS co-ordinates in following format: Longitude, Latitude - Degree Decimal Format: * e.g. 49.392, -75.570)

Point of Connection: _____
PCC: _____
Generator facilities: _____

- e. Distance from the Point of Connection to the PCC _____ km
- f. Generator's Collector Lines or Tap Line Facilities
If the Generator's facilities include collector lines or a tap line on the Generator's side of the PCC, provide the following:

Distance and conductor size of tap line on the Generator's side of the PCC, or equivalent distance for Generator's collector lines on the high-side of interface transformer(s):

_____ km;
Conductor size: _____

- g. Fault contribution from Generator's facilities, with the fault location at the PCC:
 - Three-phase generators: 3-phase short circuit _____ MVA;
 - Single-phase generators: 1-phase short circuit _____

NOTES:

- If this project requires line expansion work between the **Point of Connection** and **PCC**, Westario Power Inc. will provide a cost estimate to construct any line located on public road right-of-way. The cost estimate will include a breakdown of **Uncontestable** work (i.e., overbuild to existing line) that can only be performed by Westario Power Inc., as well as **Contestable** work (i.e., new construction/green-field) that can be performed by the Generator/their contractor or WPI. (Both **Uncontestable** work and **Contestable** work require that Westario Power Inc.design & engineer. Westario Power Inc. will become the owner.)
- For Generator-owned line, the Generator may choose to apply for installation of the line on existing Westario Power Inc.owned poles. This is known as an application for **Joint Use (JU)** of poles. If the application is accepted,Westario Power Inc. will provide the Generator with information on initial



connection costs, annual pole-space rental and emergency service (ES) fees, and required JU & ES Agreements.

11. Single Line Diagram ("SLD"):

Provide a SLD of the Generator's facilities including the PCC.

SLD Drawing Number: _____, Rev. _____

12. Generator Characteristics

a. Characteristics of Existing Generators

If Generator's facilities include existing generators, provide details as an attached document.

b. Characteristics of New Generators:

NOTE:

Please provide the manufacturer's technical data (electrical) for the generator or inverter.

Number of generating unit(s): _____

Manufacturer / Type or Model No: _____ / _____

Rated capacity of each unit: _____ kW _____ kVA

If unit outputs are different, please fill in additional sheets to provide the information.

Rated frequency: _____ Hz

Rotating Machine Type:

Synchronous Induction Inverter Other (Please Specify) _____

(If the machine type is "Other", please provide values equivalent to a Synchronous or Induction type Generator)

Generator connecting on: single phase three phase

Limits of range of reactive power at the machine output:

i. Lagging (over-excited): _____ kVAR power factor _____

ii. Leading (under-excited) _____ kVAR power factor _____

Limits of range of reactive power at the PCC:

iii. Lagging (over-excited): _____ kVAR power factor _____

iv. Leading (under-excited) _____ kVAR power factor _____

Starting inrush current: _____ pu (multiple of full load current)

Generator terminal connection: delta star

Neutral grounding method of star connected generator:

Solid Ungrounded Impedance: R _____ ohms X _____ ohms

For Synchronous Units:

i. Nominal machine voltage: _____ kV

ii. Minimum power limit for stable operation: _____ kW

iii. Unsaturated reactances on: _____ kVA base _____ kV base

Direct axis subtransient reactance, Xd'' _____ pu

Direct axis transient reactance, Xd' _____ pu

Direct axis synchronous reactance, Xd _____ pu

Zero sequence reactance, X0 _____ pu

iv. Provide a plot of generator capability curve (MW output vs MVAR)

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For Induction Units:

i. Nominal machine voltage: _____ kV



- ii. Unsaturated reactances on: _____ kVA base _____ kV base
 Direct axis subtransient reactance, Xd" _____ pu
 Direct axis transient reactance, Xd' _____ pu
- iii. Total power factor correction installed: _____ kVAR
 - Number of regulating steps _____
 - Power factor correction switched per step _____ kVAR
 - Power factor correction capacitors are automatically switched off when generator breaker opens
 Yes No

13. Interface Step-Up Transformer Characteristics:

- a. Transformer ownership: Customer / Hydro One
- b. Transformer rating: _____ kVA
- c. Nominal voltage of high voltage winding: _____ kV
- d. Nominal voltage of low voltage winding: _____ kV
- e. Transformer type: single phase three phase
- f. Impedances on: _____ kVA base _____ kV base
 R: _____ pu, X: _____ pu
- g. High voltage winding connection: delta star
 Grounding method of star connected high voltage winding neutral:
 Solid Ungrounded Impedance: R: _____ ohms X: _____ ohms
 Nameplate rating and impedance values of High Voltage Grounding Transformer (If applicable):
 Voltage: _____ V Rating: _____ KVA R: _____ pu X: _____ pu
- h. Low voltage winding connection: delta star
 Grounding method of star connected low voltage winding neutral:
 Solid Ungrounded Impedance: R: _____ ohms X: _____ ohms

14. Intermediate Transformer Characteristics (if applicable):

- a. Transformer rating: _____ kVA
- b. Nominal voltage of high voltage winding: _____ kV
- c. Nominal voltage of low voltage winding: _____ kV
- d. Transformer type: single phase three phase
- e. Impedances on: _____ kVA base _____ kV base
 R _____ pu X _____ pu
- f. High voltage winding connection: delta star
 Grounding method of star connected high voltage winding neutral:
 Solid Ungrounded Impedance: R _____ ohms X _____ ohms
- g. Low voltage winding connection: delta star
 Grounding method of star connected low voltage winding neutral:
 Solid Ungrounded Impedance: R _____ ohms X _____ ohms

NOTE: The term 'High Voltage' refers to the intermediate voltage that is input to the interface step-up transformer and the 'Low Voltage' refers to the generation voltage.

15. Load information:

- a. Maximum load of the facility: _____ kVA _____ kW
- b. Maximum load current (referred to the nominal voltage at the connection point to Hydro One system): _____ A
- c. Maximum inrush current to loads (referred to the nominal voltage at the connection point to Hydro One system): _____ A

Attached Documents:



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Attached Drawings:

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CHECKLIST

Please ensure the following items are completed prior to submission. The application shall be returned if incomplete:

- Completed form stamped by a Professional Engineer
- Payment in full including applicable taxes (by cheque or money order payable to “Westario Power Inc.”).
- Signed Study Agreement
- Single Line Diagram (SLD) of the Generator’s facilities, must be stamped by a Professional Engineer

NOTE:

By submitting a Form B, the Proponent authorizes the collection by Westario Power Inc., of any agreements and any information pertaining to agreements made between the Proponent and the Ontario Power Authority from the Ontario Power Authority, the information set out in the Form B and otherwise collected in accordance with the terms hereof, the terms of Westario power Inc. Conditions of Service, WPI Privacy Policy and the requirements of the Distribution System Code and the use of such information for the purposes of the connection of the generation facility to Westario Power Inc distribution system.