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March 2, 2010

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Ontario Energy Board
Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
27th floor
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON
M4P 1E4

VIA FAX ONLY
6 pages

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB 2009-0180, 0181, 0182, 0183
Toronto Hydro- Electric System Limited (THESL) et al
Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) Cost Claim

As per the Decision and Order dated February 11, 2010, we have enclosed the Cost Claim of the Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) with respect to the above-noted matter. As directed we have also filed a copy of our cost claim with THESL

We would appreciate that payment be sent directly to Public Interest Advocacy Centre and also that the cheque be made payable to them:

Public Interest Advocacy Centre
1204-ONE Nicholas Street
Ottawa, ON
K1N 7B7

Thank you.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael Buonaguro', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and cursive.

Michael Buonaguro
Counsel for VECC

CC: Toronto Hydro – Anna-Christina E. Crespo – 416-542-3024

APPENDIX "B"

FORM 3

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF COST CLAIM

EB 2009-0180, EB 2009-0181, EB 2009-0182, EB 2009-0183 UECC

Board File Number Party Name

Items Claimed excluding GST

Legal/Consultant Fees	+	Disbursements	=	Net Sub-Total
\$ <u>14,451.-</u>		\$ _____		\$ <u>14,451.-</u>

Goods and Services Tax

..... Full Registrant Qualifying Non-Profit (GST at 2.5%)

..... Unregistered (GST at 6%) Tax Exempt (no GST).....

Other _____ GST at _____ %

Total Cost Claim

Net Sub-Total	+	Total GST Claimed	=	Total Cost Claim
\$ <u>14,451.-</u>		\$ <u>361.27</u>		\$ <u>14,812.27</u>

I, (name) Donna BRADY, of the (City, Town, etc.) OTTAWA in the (County, Regional Municipality, etc.) of OTTAWA-CARLETON, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

- I am a representative of the above noted party (the "party") and as such have knowledge of the matters attested to herein.
- I have examined the above Cost Claim and all of the documentation in support of it.
- The above Cost Claim represents only costs incurred directly and necessarily by the party for the purpose of its intervention in the Ontario Energy Board process (the file number of which is set out above).

SWORN (OR AFFIRMED) BEFORE ME at the (City, Town, etc.) of OTTAWA, in the (County, Regional Municipality, etc.) of OTTAWA-CARLETON on (date) MARCH 2, 2010.

[Signature] COMMISSIONER for taking Affidavits

[Signature] Signature of Deponent

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FORM 1

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF HOURS -CONSULTANTS AND LEGAL COUNSEL

A separate form is required for each consultant or legal counsel

<u>CH2009-0180, EB 2009-0180, EB-2009-0181</u>		<u>UCC</u>			
Board File Number <u>EB 2009-0182</u> <u>EB 2009-0183</u>		Party Name			
Legal Counsel Name <u>CHUCK BRAWNARD</u>		Year of Call <u>2002</u>			
Consultant Name _____		Consultant Firm <u>SEK</u>			
Years of Relevant Experience (curriculum vitae must be attached)		Consultant Firm <u>2.5%</u>			
Preparation	Hours	Hourly Rate	Sub-total	GST	Total
Attendance - Technical Conference	6.7	220.-	1,541.-	38.52	1,579.52
Attendance - Settlement Conference					
Attendance - Oral Hearing	12.0	230.-	2,760.-	69.00	2,829.00
Argument	14.0	230.-	3,220.-	80.50	3,300.50
Case Management					
TOTALS	32.7	230.-	7,521.-	188.02	7,709.02

Note: All claims must be in Canadian dollars. If applicable, state exchange rate _____, and country of initial currency _____.

Michael R. Buonaguro Barrister and Solicitor

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Toronto, Ontario M6S 4C1

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VECC

February 11, 2010

Attention:

File #: 05-257
Inv #: 193

RE: THESL EB-2009-0180-0181-0182-0183

DATE	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	AMOUNT	LAWYER
Nov-12-09	Preparation for hearing.	3.00	690.00	MRB
Nov-16-09	Preparation for hearing.	1.50	345.00	MRB
Nov-17-09	Preparation for hearing.	0.70	161.00	MRB
	Attendance at hearing.	6.70	1,541.00	MRB
Nov-19-09	Attendance at hearing.	5.30	1,219.00	MRB
Nov-24-09	Review of regulatory precedent re jurisdiction, emails to S.E.C. and ECS re argument.	2.00	460.00	MRB
Nov-25-09	Research, drafting argument, discussion with S.E.C..	5.00	1,150.00	MRB
	drafting argument.	2.00	460.00	MRB
Nov-27-09	Confernece with intervenors, then short conference with ECS.	1.50	345.00	MRB
	Drafting argument, review Deloitte report.	1.00	230.00	MRB
Nov-30-09	Finalize argument.	4.00	920.00	MRB
	Totals	32.70	\$7,521.00	
	Total GST on Fees		376.05	
	Total Fee & Disbursements			\$7,897.05
	Balance Now Due			\$7,897.05

TAX ID Number 830059879

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<u>Board File Number</u>	<u>ES 2009-0180</u>					<u>Party Name</u>	<u>UJEC</u>	
<u>Consultant Name</u>	<u>Roger Higgins</u>		<u>Years of Relevant Experience</u> (curriculum vitae must be attached)	<u>35</u>		<u>Consultant Firm</u>	<u>Leonakis</u>	
Preparation	Hours	Hourly Rate	Sub-total	GST	Total			
Attendance -Technical Conference	14.0	330	4620	231	4851			
Attendance -Settlement Conference								
Attendance -Oral Hearing								
Argument	7.0	330	2310	115.50	2425.50			
Case Management								
TOTALS	21.0		6930	346.50	7276.50			

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GST @ 2.5% = 173.25 Total = 7,103.25

ECONALYSIS CONSULTING SERVICES

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Statement of Costs

DATE	FILE NO.
01/03/2010	2010006

BILL TO
Public Interest Advocacy Centre Suite 1204 1 Nicholas Street Ottawa, ON K1N 7B7

			TERMS	PROJECT	
			Net 30	EB2009-0180	
DATE	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE (\$/hr)	AMOUNT (\$)
10/10/2009	Preparation	Review Prefiled Evidence & prepare IRs	6	330.00	1,980.00T
13/11/2009	Preparation	Review Prefiled Evidence and IR responses and Provide Notes for Counsel to use at hearing	6	330.00	1,980.00T
18/11/2009	Preparation	Respond to questions and provide additional info to counsel during hearing	2	330.00	660.00T
30/11/2009	Argument	Nov 24 2009 Prepare outline & notes for preparation of Argument.Fwd to Counsel 3hr Nov 26 2009 Review Draft from Counsel and provide Supplementary notes 2 hrs Nov 30 2009 REview final draft and provide comments edits 2 hrs	7	330.00	2,310.00T
Business Number: 101606028					
			Subtotal		\$6,930.00
			GST		\$346.50
			TOTAL		\$7,276.50