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To provide Mr. Brett with the requested web link to the study commissioned by Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER).

RESPONSE

The study can be obtained from the following web link at:

<http://www.synapse-energy.com/sites/default/files/Massachusetts%20Low%20Demand%20Final%20Report.pdf>

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OEB staff panel to fill out the table that Energy Probe provided with its compendium.

RESPONSE

Energy Probe Exhibit K 12.2 SEE Recommendation Impact Assessment	Enbridge Program/Offer	Synapse Recommendation(s) Per Appendix A3	Qualitative/Directional Assessment of Potential Impact(s) on Budget, Participation and Savings [reduce, none, increase, other]			Comments
			Budget	Participation	Savings	
	Home Energy Conservation Program	5.2 #3 Incentive for high efficiency. space and water heating equipment	Increase	Increase	Increase	This could mitigate rate impacts by increasing participation rates.
	Home Energy Conservation Program	5.3.2 #1 Drop the Two Deep measure Provision	Increase	Increase	Increase	This could mitigate rate impacts by increasing participation rates.
	Home Energy Conservation Program	5.3.2 #4 Restructure Incentive	Increase or decrease	Increase with incentives for savings lower than 15%	Increase with incentives for savings lower than 15%	Unclear about the direction of the impacts. With the same incentive cap of \$2000 and same participation rate, a sliding scale could potentially reduce the total incentive budget
	Home Energy Conservation Program	5.3.2 #3 Increase incentive cap up to max of \$5000	Increase	Increase	Increase	This could mitigate rate impacts by increasing participation rates.
	Home Energy Conservation Program	5.3.2 #8 Provide Additional Measures	Increase	Increase	Increase	This could mitigate rate impacts by increasing participation rates

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Residential Savings By Design Program	5.6.2 #2 Incent builders for fewer homes	Decrease	Unclear	Unclear	Depends on how the incentive design is restructured. Enbridge could restructure incentive designs in a way to maintain the level of savings and participation rates.
My Home Health Record (MHHR)	5.6.3 #3 Assess/justify the Budget	Decrease	Decrease	Decrease	This could improve the overall benefit cost ratio for the entire portfolio as this offering is not likely as cost-effective as other offerings.
Home Energy Rating/Labelling	5.6.4 #3 Incentive to homeowners and/or real estate agents prior to the sale	Increase	Increase	Increase	With the right incentive amount and marketing budget, this could potentially improve the benefit cost ratio for the offering.